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## THE SALISBURY ASSOCIATION, INCORPORATED

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THE SALISBURY ASSOCIATION, INCORPORATED exists because the public spirited citizens of Salisbury, Connecticut believed that various kinds of work making for town improvement could be done more effectively, and with less friction and misdirection of energy, by a business-like organization, than by the occasional efforts of small groups of persons. To put it concisely, The Association stands for coöperation in all civic matters that may properly be fostered by it, without duplicating or interfering with the activities of other existing organizations that are necessarily more limited in their scope.

The Association was incorporated, without capital stock, on August 23, 1902, and in the language of its corporate certificate, as amended in 1913,—“The purpose or object of this corporation is to generally further the best interests of the Town of Salisbury and to protect and develop its natural attractions; and to hold and conduct carnivals, fairs, athletic competitions, and horticultural exhibitions, competitions and meetings.”

In July, 1903, a very successful “Old Home Week” celebration was held under the auspices of The Association, at which time over a hundred persons became members of it, most of whom have retained continuous membership for the past ten years.

From time to time The Association has subscribed to various public improvements, and in the early years of its existence set out over five hundred shade trees along the town highways.

On September 1, 1913, The Association's first Fair, consisting principally of agricultural, horticultural and domestic exhibits, was conducted at Salisbury Center, and aroused a spirit of friendly competition that will surely result in the gradual improvement of all kinds of agricultural conditions in this locality. On account of the general interest shown in the Fair, both by exhibitors and by four to five thousand spectators, it will be held again in 1914.

The increase in membership has been so great during the past six months that 477 persons are now enrolled; 262 of them live in the Town of Salisbury and the other 215 represent twenty-two states of the Union and one foreign country. Although The Association's chief dependence is on its local membership, it can only attain its maximum strength by being a country-wide Salisbury society, as well. In the past, Salisbury has been the mother of towns, and has given of her best to Vermont, New York, Ohio and the West, and there are hundreds of people of Salisbury origin, living elsewhere, who still think of her with interest and affection. To all these, membership in The Association, entailing as it does an almost nominal pecuniary obligation, cannot be other than a social bond, enhancing in many ways the pleasure of occasional visits here, and renewing, by proxy, personal activity in behalf of the Town and its people.

There are too, aside from sentiment, material reasons for joining The Association. Each member is entitled to free admission to the Fair, and also receives a copy of any publication issued by The Association.

The Association intends to issue, annually, a volume similar to this one, so that, in the course of a few years the original sources of town history will be in print, and conveniently accessible. This work is of great importance as the original records whether in manuscript or on stone are liable to damage or loss, and the only sure method of preserving them for posterity is to place printed duplicates of them (so far as the data is concerned) in many hands, as speedily as possible.

The fiscal year of The Association commences on October 1st, and the membership fee for one year is \$1.00, paid in advance. Men, women and children everywhere, who have an interest in Salisbury and its welfare, are cordially invited to join The Association, which is unique in its inception and aims, and absolutely unhampered by "red tape" or self-interest, either in the acquisition of members, or in the administration of its affairs.

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Woodworth, Jas. M., Lakeville.  
Workman, Mrs. John, Torrington, Conn.  
  
Zabriskie, Miss Elvia, Brooklyn, N. Y.

*New members admitted since Oct. 1, 1913.*

Barton, Mrs. Chas. C., Boston, Mass.  
Beebe, William, New Haven, Conn.  
  
Holley, Irving B., Hartford, Conn.  
House, Mrs. Geo. S., Chapinville.

McNeil, Mrs. N. A., Lime Rock.

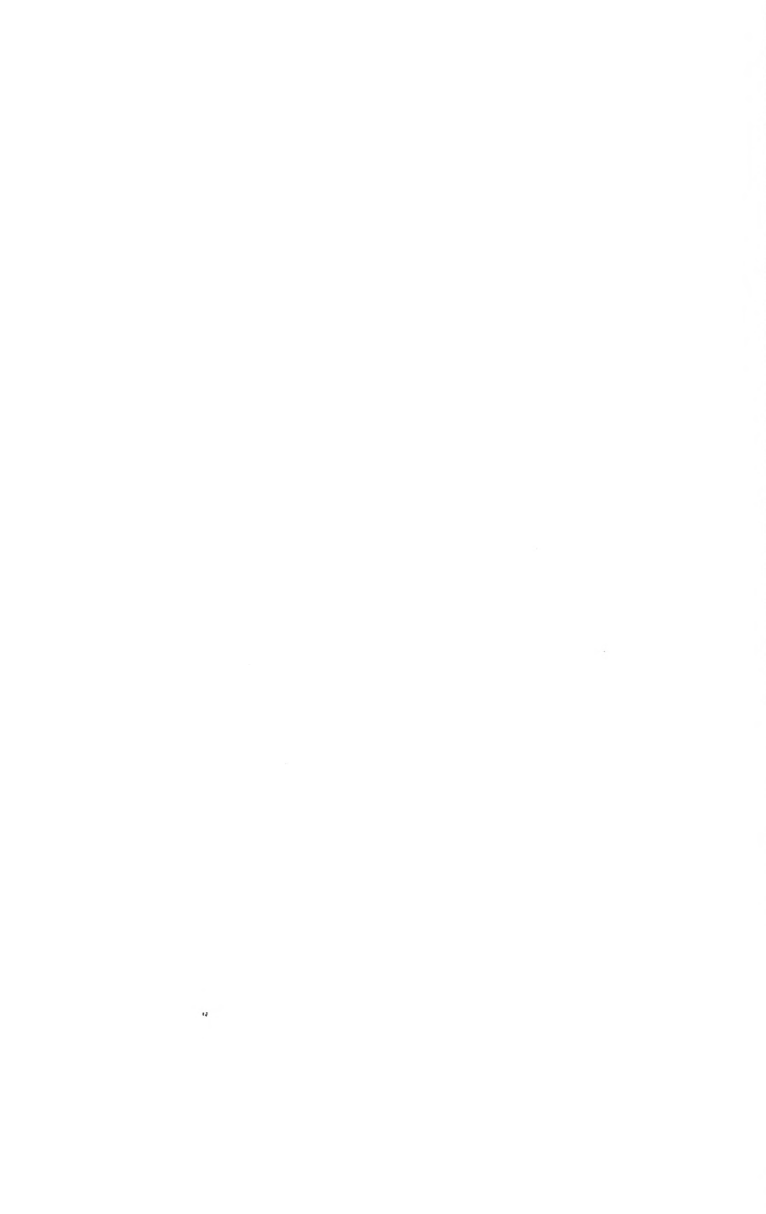
Sweet, Harris W., Bridgeport, Conn.

Sweet, Mrs. Josephine, Hartford, Conn.

Sweet, Lewis G., Hartford, Conn.

Vosburgh, Mrs. Chas., Lime Rock.

Workman, John, Torrington, Conn.



PART I

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VITAL RECORDS OF SALISBURY TOWN

Circa 1730-1767

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CEMETERY RECORDS



## INTRODUCTION

Researches among the official documentary sources of Connecticut local history are usually made for the purpose of clarifying,—(a) general history, (b) genealogy, (c) real estate titles, (d) distribution of estates. Town Meeting Records (a), Vital Records (b), Land Records (including those of the Original Proprietors) (c) and Probate Records (d) are the respective classes of records to which the searcher must refer. These various classes are naturally complementary to each other, and frequently all of them must be consulted in conducting what may have been begun as a research in one class only. This is invariably true of comprehensive genealogical research.

To the continually increasing number of students of family history, vital records are of the first importance. For this reason and because of the comparative ease with which these records can be copied and arranged, they have been selected for publication in this and subsequent volumes of Collections, with the intention of printing this class of our records to about the year 1850.

The vital records in this volume furnish a striking instance of the changes in surnames occurring in a community in less than two hundred years. Of the one hundred and seventy distinct family names which appear in the following list, only twenty are found here now, and not over ten of these can be identified with the old local families of the same names.

During the period 1730-1770 the family names which occur most frequently are:—Benton, Bingham, Bird, Camp, Chipman, Dutcher, Evarts, Fitch, Jewell, Landon, Lee, Moore, Owen, Reed, White and Woodworth. The vital record entries under these sixteen names exceed four hundred and seventy-five. To-day only five of these families have representatives in the male line resident here, and their total, for the five families, is only about twenty.

It should not be hastily inferred, however, that the old stock has "run out." On the contrary the cases of extinction from

natural causes are rare, and the disappearance of the majority of these families from this region is accounted for by their removal to newer sections of the country as they were opened to settlement.

The official recording of births, marriages and deaths in Salisbury began with the election of the first Town Clerk in 1741. A birth was recorded and space was reserved immediately after the entry to allow for the recording of subsequent births in the same family. Death dates were sometimes recorded in direct connection with the original birth dates. In this way families were grouped as to births (except where space did not admit of it) and partially as to deaths, but marriages and many deaths were entered in the order in which they occurred, regardless of arrangement as to surnames. Again, the Clerk, occasionally, and presumably by request, recorded a birth that occurred elsewhere, prior to the settlement of the child's parents here. Again, some births antedating 1741, as for instance that of Margaret Dutcher, b. Sept. 26, 1734, probably did occur here, but were not recorded at the time they occurred, because no local office of record had then been established. On the other hand it must be remembered that there was probably no uniformity about the post-recording of such events that occurred prior to 1741, and it is inferential that a considerable number of births, marriages and deaths occurred here between 1719-20 (when the settlement at Weatogue on the Housatonic was commenced) and 1741, that were not recorded at all.

This somewhat detailed explanation is made, because the family group system of recording was in operation here for over a century, until it was superseded by a more exact method.

It must also be remembered that there was every chance for omissions in the early town records, owing to general conditions and to an inadequate and casual system of recording. All things considered, it is surprising that we have so great a mass of data as does exist, and in any event, whatever the omissions or commissions may be, we cannot "go back of the returns."

In arranging the following vital record data for publication the spelling of surnames, baptismal and place names has been retained as in the original record, and every item of actual information has been included, but the order of the original



has necessarily been changed by the alphabetical arrangement, and words that are either obsolete or unnecessary to the sense have been omitted.

A transcript of the following records was made by the writer twenty years ago, and during the past winter each entry was transferred to a card index, which in turn was compared with the original record, in order to rectify any errors or omissions in the transcript.

The valuable assistance rendered by William B. Perry, Jr., Donald J. Warner, Richard K. Miles and William P. Russell (all members of The Association) in checking back the card index and in transcribing the records in several cemeteries, is gratefully acknowledged. The labor of compilation has also been greatly lessened by the painstaking and accurate stenographic work of Miss Gertrude Miner.

MALCOLM D. RUDD.

LAKEVILLE, CONN., Oct. 21, 1913.

## READ THIS PAGE BEFORE CONSULTING THE RECORDS THAT FOLLOW IT

- I Entries preceded by a \* are to be found in the 1st Book of Land Records, pages 350-357 inclusive. All other entries are to be found in the 1st Book of Town Meeting Records, etc.
- II In examining the list, which is arranged alphabetically both as to surnames and baptismal names, be sure to note all variants of surnames as, Baldwin, Bauldwin—Brewster, Bruster—Sirdam—Tousley, Towsley, etc.
- III Each marriage is indexed under the names of both bride and groom.
- IV Abbreviations, etc.
  - b. = born
  - d. before "of" = daughter
  - d. before date = died
  - s. before "of" = son
  - m. = married
  - Sal. = Salisbury
  - [            ] = Original record illegible or missing.
  - J. Lee = Rev. Jonathan Lee, first settled pastor of Salisbury Congregational Church.

## VITAL RECORDS

### A

Abbut, Bette, d. of John and Sarah, b. Oct. 1, 1758; d. Oct. 31, 1758.

Abbut, Bette, d. of John and Sarah, b. Oct. 26, 1759.

Abbut, Eunice, d. of John and Sarah, b. Sept. 30, 1756.

Abbut, Joel, s. of John and Sarah, b. July 6, 1754.

Abbut, John, s. of John and Sarah, b. at Colchester, July 17, 1748.

Abbut, Samuel, s. of John and Sarah, b. at Sal., Aug. 28, 1752.

Abbut, Sarah, d. of John and Sarah, b. at Colchester, Jan. 14, 1749/50.

Adams, Isaac, s. of Jeremiah and Rhoda, b. Nov. 28, 1763.

Adams, Isaac, of Sal., d. Nov. 26, 1763.

Adams, John, s. of Phineas and Elisabeth, b. Feb. 27, 1763.

Adams, Joshua, s. of Phineas and Elisabeth, b. Mch. 28, 1760.

Adams, Plinne, s. of Jeremiah and Rhoda, b. Jan. 18, 1766.

Adams, Selleck, s. of Phineas and Elisabeth, b. Feb. 11, 1765.

Alworth, Alice, d. of James and Mary, b. Dec. —, 1747.

Alworth, Elisabeth, d. of James and Mary, b. July 22, 1746; d. Mch. —, 1750.

Death entry says,—“daughter of James.”

Alworth, Mary, d. of James and Mary, b. Oct. 2, 1744.

Alworth, William, s. of James and Mary, b. Dec. 5, 1749.

\*Allen, Abigail, d. of David and Mary, b. Jan. 1, 1737.

\*Allen, Joseph, s. of David and Mary, b. Apr. 27, 1738.

Allen, Joseph, s. of Ethan and Mary, b. Nov. 25, 1765.

Allen, Lorain, d. of Ethan and Mary, b. in Cornwell, Apr. 20, 1763.

\*Allen, Sari, d. of David and Mary, b. Feb. 23, 1739/40.

Ashley, Thankfull of Sheffield and Ensign John Dean of Sal., m. Nov. 6, 1753, by J. Lee.

Ashman, John, s. of Amosiah and Ruth, b. Dec. 26, 1758.

\*Austin, Dan, s. of Thomas and Hannah, b. Jan. 18, 1738/9.

Austin, Hannah, d. of Thomas and Hannah, b. June 9, 1757.

\*Austin, Joel, s. of Thomas and Hannah, b. Feb. 6, 1743/4.

- Austin, Mary, d. of Thomas and Hannah, b. June 9, 1757.  
 Austin, Nathaniel, s. of Thomas and Hannah, b. Apr. 24, 1752.  
 Austin, Nathaniel, s. of Thomas and Hannah, b. Mch. 3, 1754.  
 Austin, Samuel, s. of Thomas and Hannah, b. May 3, 1746.  
 Austin, Sarah, d. of Thomas and Hannah, b. Sept. 9, 1750.  
 Austin, Seth, s. of Thomas and Hannah, b. Sept. 13, 1748.  
 \*Austin, Thomas, s. of Thomas and Hannah, b. Feb. 16, 1741/2.

## B

- Babcock, Mary and John Tozer, both of Sal., m. Sept. 16, 1750,  
 by J. Lee.  
 Bacon, Lucy, d. of Jacob and Priscila, b. May 3, 1749.  
 Baldwin, Abel, s. of Matthew and Abigail, b. July 9, 1758.  
 Baldwin, Abigail, d. of Matthew and Abigail, b. in Cornwell,  
 June 26, 1753.  
 Baldwin, Ame, d. of Matthew and Abigail, b. Dec. 15, 1760.  
 Baldwin, Anna, d. of Matthew and Abigail, b. in Nine Partners,  
 June 2, 1756.  
 Baldwin, Sarah, d. of Matthew and Abigail, b. Feb. 3, 1763.  
 Barney, William, s. of Thomas and Mabil, b. July 17, 1766.  
 Barnum, Esther, d. of John and Esther, b. June 28, 1749.  
 Barnum, Seth, s. of John and Esther, b. Dec. 8, 1751.  
 Barret, Abigail and John Nickols Jr., both of Sal., m. May 24,  
 1756, by J. Lee. Witnesses—Phineas Adams and Dorothy  
 Cobb.  
 Barret, Bartholamew and Mahittable Rood, m. Mch. 6, 1755, by  
 J. Lee.  
 Barret, Ephraim, s. of Bartholomew and Mahittable, b. Nov. 20,  
 1757.  
 Barret, Sarah, d. of Heldrick and Rebekah, b. Aug. 20, 1764.  
 Barrett, Heldrick of Sal., and Rebekah Stevens of Kilingworth,  
 m. Nov. 29, 1763, by John Hutchinson, J. P.  
 Barrett, Rodger, s. of Heldrick and Rebekah, b. Mch. 11, 1766.  
 Barrit, Bartholomu, s. of Bartholomu and Mahittable, b. Dec.  
 22, 1755.  
 Bartlet, Thankful of Guilford and Cotten Fletcher of Sal., m.  
 Sept. 9, 1756, by J. Lee.

Barton, Andrew and Disea Reed, both of Sal., m. Dec. 11, 1760,  
by James Landon, J. P.

Barton, Andrew, s. of Andrew and Disea, b. Sept. 24, 1761.

Barton, Anthony, s. of Andrew and Disea, b. Jan. 3, 1764.

Barton, Nathan, s. of Andrew and Disea, b. Jan. 19, 1766.

Bastwick, Milo, s. of Jesse and Sarah, b. Mch. 8, 1763.

Bauldwin, Alexander of Canaan and Margaret Dutcher of Sal.,  
m. Mch. 31, 1755, by J. Lee.

Bauldwin, Cornelius, s. of Alexander and Margaret, b. Nov. 11,  
1755.

Bauldwin, Elizabeth of Oblong and George Edwards of Sal.,  
m. Jan. 18, 1758, by J. Lee.

See note under George Edwards.

Bauldwin, Mary, d. of Alexander and Margaret, b. in Oblong,  
Nov. 18, 1757.

\*Baylis, George, s. of Thomas (sic), b. Jan. 22, 1738.

\*Baylis, John, s. of Thomas (sic), b. Dec. 21, 1741.

\*Baylis, Margit, d. of Thomas (sic), b. Dec. 1, 1739.

\*Baylis, Richard, s. of Thomas (sic), b. Mch. 13, 1736.

\*Baylis, Sarah, d. of Thomas and Sarah, b. Nov. 30, 1743.

Beebe, David, s. of Samuel Jr. and Abigail, b. May 13, 1764.

Beebe, Elisabeth and Simeon Lyman, m. Jan. 5, 1748/9, by J. Lee.

Beebe, Hannah, d. of Samuel Jr. and Abigail, b. June 25, 1766.

Beebe, Hannah, of Canaan and Samuel Moore Jr. of Sal., m.  
May (?) 7, 1763, by Dan'l Farrand, Pastor in Canaan.

Beebe, John, s. of David and Abigail, b. June 20, 1764.

Beebe, Lucy, d. of David and Abigail, b. Apr. 11, 1766.

Beebe, Martha, d. of David and Abigail, b. Sept. 25, 1762.

Beebe, Mary, d. of David and Abigail, b. Oct. 13, 1758.

Beebe, Samuel, s. of Samuel Jr. and Abigail, b. Oct. 4, 1768.

Beebe, Sarah, d. of David and Abigail, b. Nov. 2, 1760.

Beement, Hannah, d. of Samuel and Martha, b. Feb. 20, 1766.

Bellowses, Capt. Samuel, d. Apr. 11, 1759.

Bellowses, Sarah, d. of Samuel and Elisabeth, b. Jan. 26, 1740.

Bemas, Jotham of Oblong and Elisabeth Bicknal of Sal., m. Oct.  
5, 1755, by J. Lee.

Bement, Frelove, d. of William Jr. and Sarah, b. June 7, 1764.

Bemon, Olive and Elijah Owen, both of Sal., m. Nov. 10, 1756, by  
James Landon, J. P.

- Bennet, Catharine of Albany Co., and Robart Warne of Sal., m.  
Dec. 30, 1751, by J. Lee.
- Bentle, Charles, s. of James and Mary, b. Apr. 11, 1756, d. Oct.  
12, 1757.
- Bentle, James, s. of James and Mary, b. in Sal. Mch. 20, 1753.
- Bentle, Nancy, d. of James and Mary, b. Dec. 24, 1757.
- Bentle, Samuel, s. of James and Mary, b. in East Haddam, Oct.  
27, 1744.
- Bentle, Thomas, s. of James and Mary, b. Jan. 25, 1754.
- Bentle, Paga (?), d. of Samuel and Bethiah, b. Apr. 8, 1765.
- Benten, Azubah, d. of John Jr. and Tamer, b. Apr. 27, 1758.
- Benten, Jonathan, s. of John Jr. and Tamer, b. May 19, 1760.
- Benten, Mary, d. of John Jr. and Tamer, b. Apr. 7, 1756.
- Benton, Adah, d. of Samuel and Lydia, b. Oct. 18, 1761.
- Benton, Andrew, s. of John Jr. and Tamer, b. July 22, 1764.
- Benton, Anna, d. of Isaac Jr. and Jamima, b. Sept. 14, 1756.
- Benton, Caleb, s. of David and Sarah, b. Jan. 2, 1759.
- Benton, David, s. of David and Sarah, b. Dec. 2, 1763.
- Benton, Didamia, d. of Samuel and Lydia, b. Nov. 3, 1765.
- Benton, Felix, s. of John Jr. and Tamer, b. Apr. 3, 1762.
- Benton, Isaac d. Sept. 17, 1757.
- Benton, Isaac of Sal. and Jamima St John of Sharon, m. Oct.  
30, 1755, by Cotton Mather Smith, Pastor.
- Benton, Isaac, s. of Isaac and Jemima, b. Dec. 28, 1758.
- Benton, Jehiel, s. of Isaac and Ruth, b. Aug. 9, 1752; d. June 1,  
1753.  
Spelled Jehel in death record.
- Benton, Lydia, d. of Stephen and Prudence, b. June 19, 1760.
- Benton, Lydia, d. of David and Sarah, b. Mch. 26, 1761.
- Benton, Mary, d. of David and Sarah, b. Nov. 1, 1765.
- Benton, Ruth, d. of Isaac and Ruth, b. in Oblong, July 23, 1748.
- Benton, Samuel and Lydia Strong, both of Sal., m. Dec. 17,  
1760, by James Landon, J. P.
- Benton, Sarah, d. of Samuel and Lydia, b. Mch. 4, 1764.
- Benton, Stephen of Sal. and Prudence Renalls of Oblong, m.  
May 4, 1759, by J. Lee.
- Benton, [            ], s. of John and Tamer, b. Aug. 7, 1766; d.  
the next day.

- Benton, [            ], s. of John Jr. and Tamer, b. Nov. 14, 1754;  
d. the same day.
- Benton, [            ], d. of John Jr. and Tamer, b. Dec. 31, 1753;  
d. the same day.
- Berry, Elisabeth, d. of James and Hannah, b. May 19, 1762;  
d. May 9, 1764.
- Berry, John, s. of James and Hannah, b. Sept. 10, 1767.
- Berry, Seth, s. of James and Hannah, b. Aug. 29, 1764.
- Bicknal, Elisabeth of Sal. and Jotham Bemis of Oblong, m. Oct.  
5, 1755, by J. Lee.
- Bicknal, Elisabeth, d. of Richard and Hannah, b. May 12, 1762.
- Bicknal, Lydia, d. of Richard and Hannah, b. Nov. 24, 1763.
- Bicknal, Ruluff, s. of Richard and Hannah, b. Nov. 20, 1765.
- Bicknal, Richard and Hannah White, m. Apr. 16, 1761, by John  
Hutchinson, J. P.
- Bingham, Abi, d. of Daniel and Hannah, b. June 6, 1766.
- Bingham, Achsah, d. of Jabez and Mary, b. Dec. 18, 1760.
- Bingham, Alice, d. of Benajah and Dolley, b. Oct. 24, 1766.
- Bingham, Alvan, s. of Jabez and Mary, b. Dec. 20, 1754.
- Bingham, Benajah, s. of Benajah and Dorothy, b. July 15, 1764.
- Bingham, Bethiah, d. of Daniel and Hannah, b. Sept. 1, 1761; d.  
Sept. 2, 1763, "on the first day of the third year of her age."
- Bingham, Bethiah, d. of Daniel and Hannah, b. Mch. 26, 1764.
- Bingham, Caleb, s. of Daniel and Hannah, b. Apr. 18, 1757.
- Bingham, Daniel, s. of Daniel and Hannah, b. Oct. 12, 1750; d.  
Oct. 15, 1750.
- Bingham, Eunice, d. of Daniel and Hannah, b. July 13, 1754.
- Bingham, Hannah, d. of Daniel and Hannah, b. in Windham,  
Nov. 8, 1748.
- Bingham, Jabez, s. of Jabez and Mary, b. in Windham, Feb. 13,  
1749.
- Bingham, Lois, d. of Daniel and Hannah, b. May 16, 1759.
- Bingham, Lovisa, d. of Jabez Jr. and Mary, b. Feb. 18, 1763.
- Bingham, Marcy, d. of Jabez Jr. and Mary, b. June 17, 1767.
- Bingham, Mary, d. of Jabez and Mary, b. July 3, 1752.
- Bingham, Mary and John Moore, both of Sal., m. Dec. 15, 1762,  
by J. Lee.
- Bingham, Phebe, d. of Solomon and Rachel, b. Aug. 24, 1764.

- Bingham, Rachel, d. of Solomon and Rachel, b. Dec. 30, 1761.  
Bingham, Ralph or Rodolphus Wheelock (sic), s. of Jabez and Mary, b. Feb. 17, 1750/51.  
Bingham, Ralph or Rodolphos Wheelock, d. Sept. 15, 1751.  
Bingham, Silas, s. of Jabez and Mary, b. July 29, 1758.  
Bingham, Solomon and Rachel Moore, both of Sal., m. June 4, 1761, by J. Lee.  
Bingham, Solomon, s. of Solomon and Rachel, b. Apr. 13, 1767.  
Bingham, Zerviah of Windham and Joel Camp of Sal., m. at Windham, Mch. 9, 1757, by Jedediah Elderkin, Esq.  
Bird, Abigail, d. of James and Abigail, b. Mch. 7, 1761.  
Bird, Asenath, d. of More and Rebekah, b. Dec. 5, 1752.  
Bird, Dorcas, wife of Joseph Esq., d. Oct. 28, 1750.  
Bird, Dorcas, d. of James and Abigail, b. in Litchfield, Nov. 4, 1751, O. S.  
Bird, Electe, d. of More and Rebekah, b. June 1, 1754.  
Bird, Isaac, s. of James and Abigail, b. May 5, 1757.  
Bird, James and Abigail Gridley m. Aug. 23, 1750, by Rev. Mr. Burnam, Pastor of Kensington Church.  
Bird, Joseph Esq. d. Sept. 9, 1754, in his 58th year.  
Bird, Joseph Esq. and Sary Eldridg, both of Sal., m. May 11, 1752, by J. Lee.  
Bird, Joseph Jr. and Hulda Sprague, both of Sal., m. May 23, 1753, by J. Lee.  
Bird, More and Rebekah Skinner, both of Sal., m. Nov. 9, 1752, by J. Lee.  
Bird, Moore, s. of Joseph and Hulda, b. Oct. 22, 1756.  
Bird, Moore d. Sept. 3, 1756, in his 28th year.  
Bird, Nathaniel, s. of Moore and Rebekah, b. Mch. 25, 1756; d. the next day.  
Bird, Nathaniel d. Sept. 15, 1760.  
Bird, Rachel, d. of Joseph and Huldah, b. Apr. 19, 1758.  
Bird, Ruth, d. of Joseph and Huldah, b. Oct. 22, 1754.  
Bird, Ruth d. Oct. 3, 1754.  
Bird, Sarah, d. of Capt. John Esq. and Sarah, b. Sept. 13, 1753.  
Bird, Thomas, s. of James and Abigail, b. Apr. 22, 1754, N. S.  
Bird, Thomas d. Oct. 4, 1754.  
Bissell, Asail, s. of George and Lydia, b. Dec. 7, 1757.  
Bissell, George, s. of George and Liddia, b. Jan. 9, 1749/50.



- Bissell, Jehiel, s. of George, d. at Oswego, Oct. 2, 1760.  
Bissell, Jesse, s. of George and Lydia, b. Feb. 20, 1752.  
Bissell, John, s. of George and Lydia, b. Jan. 12, 1761.  
Bissell, Joseph, s. of George and Lydia, b. Jan. 12, 1759.  
Bissell, Lydia, d. of George and Lydia, b. Sept. 20, 1754.  
Bloget, Sarah, d. of Asa and Irene, b. Apr. 7, 1759.  
Blogget, Archepas, s. of Asa and Irene, b. Dec. 29, 1755.  
Blogget, Artemas, s. of Asa and Irene, b. Dec. 31, 1752.  
Blogget, Asa and Irene Owen, both of Sal., m. Dec. 7, 1750, by  
J. Lee. 1136310  
Blogget, Asa, s. of Asa and Irena, b. Jan. 11, 1765.  
Blogget, Elijah, s. of Asa and Irene, b. Apr. 19, 1761; d. June  
19, 1761.  
Blogget, Samuel, s. of Asa and Irene, b. May 26, 1751.  
Blogget, Sardias, s. of Asa and Irene, b. May 25, 1754.  
Blogget, Silva, d. of Asa and Irene, b. Nov. 5, 1762.  
Bloggit, Irene, d. of Asa and Irene, b. Aug. 26, 1757.  
Bogrough, Charity, d. of Hyman Jacob and Jane, b. Feb. 13, 1762.  
Bogrough, Hyman Jacob, s. of Hyman Jacob and Jane, b. Aug.  
20, 1764.  
Bogrough, Jane, wife of Hyman Jacob, d. June 13, 1767.  
Bogrough, Jane, d. of Hyman Jacob and Hannah, b. Sept. 15,  
1771.  
Bogrough, Samuel, s. of Hyman Jacob and Hannah, b. in Sal.,  
Feb. 25, 1770.  
Bogrough, Sarah, d. of Hyman Jacob and Jane, b. Dec. 27, 1759.  
Bostwick, Chloe, d. of Edward and Ann, b. May 16, 1763.  
Bostwick, Daniel, s. of Gilbert and Mary, b. Oct. 2, 1762.  
Bostwick, John, s. of John and Jamima, d. in the Army, Aug.  
23, 1760.  
Bostwick, John, s. of Jesse and Mary, b. Jan. 14, 1762.  
Bostwick, John, s. of Gilbert and Mary, b. Apr. 27, 1772.  
Bostwick, Mary, wife of Jesse, d. Jan. 26, 1762.  
Bostwick, Mary, d. of Gilbert and Mary, b. Oct. 17, 1766.  
Bostwick, Newell, s. of Edward and Ann, b. Jan. 15, 1762.  
Bostwick, Philomela, d. of Jesse and Mary, b. July 16, 1760.  
Bostwick, Philomele, d. of Edward and Ann, b. Nov. 22, 1764.  
Bostwick, Sarah, d. of Gilbert and Mary, b. Apr. 24, 1770.  
Bostwick, Truman, s. of Edward and Ann, b. July 22, 1766.

- Bostw [                    ], Jesse and Sarah Tickner, both of Sal., m. July 25, 1762, by J. Lee.
- Botchford, Mary of Darby and Abiael Camp of Sal., m. Dec. 5, 1750, by Rev. Mr. Humphry, Pastor.
- Bradley, Anna, d. of Ariel and Ame, b. in York Gov't, June 10, 1754.
- Bradley, Anne, d. of Ariel and Mary, b. Nov. 9, 1763.
- Bradley, James, s. of Ariel and Ame, b. in Sal., June 17, 1756.
- Bradley, Rebekah, d. of Daniel and Rebekah, b. Apr. 21, 1766.
- Bradley, Thadeus, s. of Ariel and Ame, b. in York Gov't, June 8, 1752.
- Brewster, Charles, s. of Charles and Kesiah, b. June 8, 1755.
- Brewster, Elisabeth, d. of Charles and Kezia, b. Apr. 28, 1760; d. Aug. 16, 1761.
- Brewster, Elisabeth, d. of Charles and Kezia, b. June 20, 1762.
- Brewster, John, s. of Charles and Kezia, b. Apr. 28, 1760; d. July 8, 1760.
- Brewster, Kezia, d. of Charles and Kezia, b. Sept. 3, 1757.
- Brewster, Ozem, s. of Charles and Kezia, b. Mch. 13, 1750/51.
- Brewster, Persis, d. of Charles and Kesiah, b. Tues., May 31, 1753.
- Brinkerhoff, Mrs. Love of Woodbury, Conn., and Rev. Mr. Jonathan Lee, m. at Woodbury, Nov. 22, 1762, by John Graham, Pastor.
- Brinsmaid, John, s. of John and Mercy, b. Feb. 3, 1766.
- Brittal, Claudius, and Alatheia Owen, both of Sal., m. Mch. 19, 1760, by J. Lee.
- Brittal, Ruth, d. of Claudius and Alatheia, b. Sept. 25, 1760.
- Brittol, John, s. of Claudius and Alatheia, b. Nov. 8, 1766.
- Brownson, Elisabeth, d. of Timothy and Abigail, d. Aug. 8, 1761, in her 18th year.
- Brownson, Elisabeth, d. of Timothy Jr. and Hannah, b. Feb. 16, 1762.
- Brownson, Gideon and Cornelia White, both of Sal., m. Apr. 16, 1761, by J. Lee.
- Brownson, Isaac, s. of Gideon and Cornelia, b. Mch. 22, 1762.
- Brownson, Timothy, s. of Gideon and Cornelia, b. Sept. 3, 1763.
- Bruster, Prudence, d. of Charles and Kesiah, b. June 16, 1749.
- Bryan, Esther, d. of Lewis and Esther, b. Nov. 7, 1758.

- Bryan, Lewis and Esther Case, both of Sal., m. Aug. 17, 1757,  
by J. Lee.
- Buel, Abigail of Covintry and Joshua Porter of Sal., m. May 14,  
1759, by Oliver Noble, Pastor.
- \*Buell, Deborah and Azariah Newcomb, m. May 4, 1743.
- Buell, Eliphalet of Sal. and Sarah Reed of Sharon, m. Dec. 7,  
1752, by J. Lee.
- Buell, Hannah, d. of Nathaniel and Hannah, b. Aug. 25, 1765.
- Buell, Nathanael, s. of Eliphalet and Sarah, b. Dec. 12, 1753.
- Buell, Nathaniel and Hannah Lee, both of Sal., m. Apr. 23, 1761,  
by J. Lee.
- Buell, Sarah, d. of Eliphalet and Sarah, b. Oct. 8, 1757.
- Buell, Simon, s. of Eliphalet and Sarah, b. Jan. 9, 1760.
- Buell, Simon d. May 8, 1760.
- Burbank, John, s. of Timothy and Esther, b. Mch. 19, 1752.
- Burbank, Mary, d. of Timothy and Esther, b. Mch. 3, 1750.
- \*Burton, Elizabeth, d. of Simeon and Mary, b. July 13, 1742.

## C

- Camp, Abiael of Sal. and Mary Botchford of Darby, m. Dec. 5,  
1750, by Rev. Mr. Humphry, Pastor.
- Camp, Abiael, s. of Abiael and Mary, b. Aug. 3, 1754; d. Sept.  
7, 1757.
- Spelled Abiel in death record.
- Camp, Ann and Charles Chapin, both of Sal., m. Aug. 13, 1751,  
by J. Lee.
- Camp, Ann, d. of Joel and Zerviah, b. Dec. 24, 1759.
- Camp, Hezekiah Jr. of Sal. and Sarah Northrop of Ammete, m.  
Nov. 21, 1752, by Rev. Mr. Woodbridge, Pastor.
- Camp, Hezekiah, s. of Hezekiah Jr. and Sarah, b. July 21, 1755;  
d. Sept. 13, 1757.
- Camp, Hezekiah, s. of Luke and Rachel, b. Jan. 26, 1767.
- Camp, Joel of Sal. and Zerviah Bingham of Windham, m. at  
Windham, Mch. 9, 1757, by Jedediah Elderkin, Esq.
- Camp, Luke, s. of Luke and Rachel, b. July 23, 1764.
- Camp, Lydia, d. of Luke and Rachel, b. Sept. 28, 1760.
- Camp, Mary, d. of Joel and Zerviah, b. June 21, 1767.
- Camp, Rachel, d. of Luke and Rachel, b. Aug. 30, 1762.

- Camp, Ruth, d. of Hezekiah Jr. and Sarah, b. Dec. 29, 1760.  
Camp, Sarah, d. of Hezekiah Jr. and Sarah, b. Oct. 28, 1753; d. Sept. 18, 1757.  
Camp, Sarah, d. of Hezekiah Jr. and Sarah, b. Aug. 8, 1758.  
Camp, Zerviah, d. of Joel and Zerviah, b. Feb. 22, 1758.  
Camp, [            ], d. of Joel and Zerviah, b. Mch. 9, 1762, who d. the same day.  
Camp, [            ], s. of Joel and Zerviah, b. July 15, 1766, who d. the same day.  
Cary, Abigail and William Pateson, both of Sal., m. Apr. 11, 1757, by James Landon, J. P.  
Cary, Mary Porter, d. of Hannah (sic) b. Sept. 13, 1759.  
Cary, Seth and Hannah House, both of Sal., m. Feb. 28, 1750/51, by J. Lee.  
Case, Abigail, d. of Seth and Elisabeth, d. Sept. 27, 1754.  
Case, Esther and Lewis Bryan, both of Sal., m. Aug. 17, 1757, by J. Lee.  
Case, Ezekiel, s. of Seth and Elisabeth, b. Apr. 19, 1760.  
Case, Ichabod, s. of Seth, d. Sept. 27, 1754.  
Case, Lemuel, s. of Seth and Elisabeth, b. Nov. 22, 1757.  
Case, Seth and Elisabeth Copley, both of Sal., m. Aug. 17, 1749, by J. Lee.  
Case, Seth, s. of Seth and Elisabeth, b. Dec. 29, 1751.  
Castel, Mary of Sheffield and Simeon Strong of Sal., m. Apr. 1, 1756, by J. Hubbard, Pastor.  
Champion, Sibbil, d. of Daniel and Esther, b. July 18, 1756.  
Chapin, Ann, d. of Charles and Ann, b. Aug. 17, 1754.  
Chapin, Anne, wife of Charles, d. Mch. 11, 1758.  
Chapin, Charles and Ann Camp, both of Sal., m. Aug. 13, 1751, by J. Lee.  
Chapin, Charles, s. of Charles and Ann, b. June 26, 1752.  
Chapin, Daniel, s. of Charles and Anna, b. Feb. 2, 1761.  
Chapin, Esther, d. of Reuben and Rebekah, b. June 28, 1758.  
Chapin, John, s. of Reuben and Sarah, b. Dec. 20, 1766.  
Chapin, Lament, d. of Reuben and Rebekah, b. Feb. 28, 1762.  
Chapin, Oliver, s. of Charles and Anne, b. Mch. 29, 1766.  
Chapin, Phinhas, s. of Charles and Ann, b. Feb. 16, 1757.  
Chapin, Rebekah, d. of Reuben and Rebekah, b. at Summers, Aug. 17, 1747, O. S.

- Chapin, Rebekah, wife of Reuben, d. Mch. 31, 1762.
- Chapin, Rhoda, d. of Charles and Anne, b. June 21, 1764.
- Chapin, Ruth, d. of Charles and Anne, b. July 29, 1762.
- Chatfield, Jesse and Freelove Woodwarth, both of Sal., m. Oct. 18, 1756, by J. Lee.
- Chatfield, Mary, d. of Phillip and Marcy, b. June 6, 1755.
- Chipman, Abigail, d. of John and Sarah, b. July 20, 1749.
- Chipman, Abigail, d. of Amos and Sarah, b. May 4, 1757.
- Chipman, Ammi, s. of Amos and Sarah, b. Feb. 12, 1764.
- Chipman, Amos of Sal. and Sarah Doggit of Lebanon, m. Oct. 18, 1749, by Joseph Clark, J. P.
- Chipman, Amos, s. of Amos and Sarah, b. Dec. 21, 1751.
- Chipman, Barnabas Lothrop, s. of Amos and Sarah, b. Nov. 5, 1762.
- Chipman, Daniel, s. of Samuel and Hannah, b. Oct. 22, 1765.
- Chipman, Darius, s. of Samuel and Hannah, b. Aug. 17, 1756.
- Chipman, Eunice, d. of Amos and Sarah, b. Apr. 8, 1753.
- Chipman, Hanah, d. of Samuel and Hannah, b. Oct. 28, 1758.
- Chipman, Jesse, s. of Amos and Sarah, b. Feb. 28, 1755.
- Chipman, John, s. of John and Sarah, b. Oct. 12, 1745.
- Chipman, John d. Sept. 3, 1754, in his 38th year.
- Chipman, Jonathan of Sal. and Katharine Reed of Stanford, m. Oct. 5, 1756, by Rev. Mr. Mather, Pastor.
- Chipman, Jonathan, s. of Jonathan and Katharen, b. Oct. 12, 1757; d. Aug. 23, 1766.
- Chipman, Lemuel, s. of Samuel and Hannah, b. July 25, 1754.
- Chipman, Mary, d. of John and Sarah, b. Apr. 17, 1752.
- Chipman, Nathaniel, s. of Samuel and Hanah, b. Nov. 27, 1752.
- Chipman, Samuel, s. of Samuel and Hannah, b. Oct. 8, 1750, at 9 P. M.
- Chipman, Samuel, s. of Samuel and Hannah, b. Dec. 10, 1763.
- Chipman, Sarah, d. of Amos and Sarah, b. Aug. 23, 1750.
- Chipman, Sarah and Samuel Keep, both of Sal., m. Dec. 25, 1755, by J. Lee.
- Chipman, Siras, s. of Samuel and Hannah, b. Dec. 3, 1761.
- Chipman, Thomas, s. of Jonathan and Ketharine, d. Aug. 23, 1766.
- Chipman, Deacon Thomas d. Aug. 5, 1752, in his 65th year.

- Chipman, [            ], s. of John Chipman, still-born Aug. 12, 1747.
- Chittenden, Abigail, d. of Timothy and Rebekah, b. Mch. 23, 1766.
- Chittenden, Bethuel and Deborah Strong, both of Sal., m. Dec. 16, 1762, by J. Lee.
- Chittenden, Bulah, d. of Thomas and Elisabeth, b. May 23, 1763.
- Chittenden, Ebenezer, s. of Bethuel and Deborah, b. Dec. 5, 1763.
- Chittenden, Elisabeth, d. of Thomas and Elisabeth, b. Feb. 17, 1761.
- Chittenden, Hannah, d. of Thomas and Elisabeth, b. July 13, 1756.
- Chittenden, Luther, s. of Bethuel and Deborah, b. Sept. 30, 1765.
- Chittenden, Mabel, d. of Thomas and Elisabeth, b. Oct. 7, 1750.
- Chittenden, Martin, s. of Thomas and Elisabeth, b. Mch. 12, 1766.
- Chittenden, Mary, d. of Thomas and Elisabeth, b. Sept. 18, 1758.
- Chittenden, Noah, s. of Thomas and Elisabeth, b. Sept. 26, 1753.
- Chittenden, Rebekah, d. of Timothy and Rebekah, b. Oct. 17, 1763.
- Chittenden, Timothy, s. of Timothy and Rebekah, b. Mch. 5, 1759.
- Claghorn, Andrew Ring, s. of James and Elisabeth, d. Dec. 16, 1755, in his 7th year.
- Claghorn, Anne, d. of James Jr. and Ann, b. July 27, 1763.  
Bap. name Anne not legible 1913.
- Claghorn, Eliphalet, s. of James and Elisabeth, d. Oct. 12, 1757, in his 12th year.
- Claghorn, John, s. of James Jr. and Ann, b. Dec. 2, 1764.
- Claghorn, Ruth, d. of Sarah (sic) b. Apr. 1, 1764.
- Claghorn, Silva, d. of Sarah (sic) b. Apr. 7, 1766.
- Claghorn, Syntha, d. of James Jr. and Ann, b. May 30, 1767.
- Claghorn, [            ], s. of James Jr. and Ann, still-born Apr. 1, 1766.
- Cleavland, Simon, s. of Simon and Elisabeth, b. Feb. 13, 1757.
- Cobin, John, s. of John and Abigail, b. Apr. 2, 1765.
- Cogsel, Abigail, d. of Peter and Abigail, b. Sept. 3, 1764.
- Cogsel, Eli, s. of Peter and Abigail, b. Aug. 23, 1757.
- Cogsel, Rebekah, d. of Peter and Abigail, b. Feb. 18, 1755.
- Cogsel, Salmon, s. of Peter and Abigail, b. Dec. 27, 1760.

- Cogsell, Peter and Abigail Lee, both of Sal., m. May 26, 1754,  
by J. Lee.
- Cole, Chloe and Samuel Skinner, both of Sal., m. Mch. 20, 1760,  
at Colchester, by John Waters, J. P.
- \*Colver, Ephariam and Elisabeth Smith, both of Sal., m. June  
12, 1745.
- \*Colver, Hannah, wife of Epharhaim, d. Jan. 20, 1744/5.
- Conner, Daniel, s. of Daniel and Sarah, b. in Oblong, Mch. 3,  
1756.
- Conner, John, s. of Daniel and Sarah, b. in Oblong, June 13, 1758.
- Cook, Abigail and Benajah Williams, m. Aug. 10, 1758, by  
William Willer (sic) Justice.
- See note under B. Williams.
- Cool, Gideon, s. of Philip and Persis, b. Sept. 16, 1760.
- Cool, Isaac, s. of Philip and Persis, b. Feb. 3, 1759.
- Cool, Lemuel, s. of Philip and Persis, b. Sept. 3, 1766.
- Cool, Phillip, s. of Philip and Persis, b. Dec. 22, 1756; d. Mch.  
28, 1761, in his 5th year, "by a fence falling on him."
- Cool, Philip, s. of Philip and Persis, b. Jan. 16, 1765.
- Coole, Hyman Jacob, s. of Philip and Persis, b. Aug. 21, 1762.
- Coole, Phillip and Goodeth White, m. Aug. 31, 1748, by J. Lee.
- Copley, Elisabeth and Seth Case, both of Sal., m. Aug. 17, 1749,  
by J. Lee.
- Corpe, Joseph, s. of William and Bethsheba, b. Sept. 16, 1758.
- Corpe, Phebe, d. of William and Bethsheba, b. Dec. 22, 1756.
- Corpe, William and Bethsheba Full [            ], both of Sal., m.  
Apr. 1 [    ]th, 1755, by David Whitney, J. P.
- Cotten, Hephzibah and Josiah Higley, both of Sal., m. Nov. 6,  
1755, by J. Lee.

## D

- Dean, Anne, d. of Seth and Sarah, b. in Sal., Nov. 8, 1754.
- Dean, Benoni, s. of John and Thankfull, b. July 24, 1754; d.  
July 26, 1754.
- Dean, Gaius, s. of Ensign John and Thankfull, b. Sept. 26, 1755.
- Dean, Joel, s. of Seth and Sarah, b. Oct. 3, 1759.
- Dean, Ensign John of Sal. and Thankfull Ashley of Sheffield,  
m. Nov. 6, 1753, by J. Lee.

- Dean, Lydia, d. of Seth and Sarah, b. Jan. 21, 1762.  
Dean, Mary, d. of John and Sarah, b. Jan. 13, 1751/2.  
Dean, Nathanael of Sal. and Hannah Woods of New Milford,  
m. Jan. 1, 1751/2, by Paul Welch, J. P.  
Dean, Reuben, s. of Seth and Sarah, b. in York Gov't, Feb. 22,  
1752.  
Dean, Ruth, d. of Seth and Sarah, b. in York Gov't, Aug. 28,  
1750.  
Dean, Sarah, wife of John, d. Jan. 15, 1751/2.  
Dean, Sarah, d. of Seth and Sarah, b. July 28, 1757.  
Dean, Uriah, s. of John and Rachel, b. Dec. 16, 1761.  
Dean, William, s. of John and Sarah, b. Jan. 13, 1751/2.  
Decker, Goodeth of Ulster Co. and Peter White of Sal., m. Nov.  
3, 1749, by William Manches, minister of Kingstown, in  
presence of Isaac White.  
Delis, Claudius Jr., of Sal., d. Nov. 3, 1760, in his 32nd year.  
Delis, Ruth d. Dec. 1, 1760.  
Doggit, Sarah of Lebanon and Amos Chipman of Sal., m. Oct.  
18, 1749, by Joseph Clark, J. P.  
\*Dutcher, Abraham, s. of Henery and Elenar, b. Oct. 27, 1743.  
Dutcher, Arconche and William Whitney, both of Canaan, m.  
June 4, 1747, by Rev. Elisha Webster.  
Dutcher, Catharene, d. of Gabriel and Elisabeth, b. Sept. 18,  
1749.  
Dutcher, Catharine, d. of Ruluff and Catherine, b. Dec. 4, 1746.  
Dutcher, Christeen, d. of Ruluff and Ca(t)herine, b. Jan. 23,  
1748.  
Dutcher, Christian, d. of John and Christian, b. Mch. 1, 1755.  
Dutcher, Christian, wife of John Dutcher, d. May 1, 1755, in her  
39th year.  
Dutcher, Cornelius, s. of John and Christian, b. Mch. 20, 1753.  
Dutcher, Cornelius, s. of John, d. Mch. 22, 1754.  
\*Dutcher, David, s. of Henry and Eloner, b. Apr. 21, 1741.  
\*Dutcher, Diryck, s. of Henry and Eloner, b. Aug. 4, 1734.  
Dutcher, Gabriel, s. of John and Christian, b. June 16, 1747.  
Dutcher, Hannah, d. of John and Christian, b. Mch. 25, 1749.  
\*Dutcher, Jacimitia, d. of Henry and Eloner, b. Sept. 15, 1736.  
\*Dutcher, Janaca, d. of Henery and Elenar, b. Aug. 3, 1746.  
\*Dutcher, Jane, d. of Cornelius and Abigail, b. Apr. 30, 1741.



Dutcher, The widow Jane d. July 26, 1749.

Dutcher, Jane, d. of Ruluff and Catharine, b. Dec. 31, 1743.

Dutcher, Jane, d. of John and Christian, b. Feb. 19, 1743.

Dutcher, John, s. of John and Christian, b. June 2, 1745.

\*Dutcher, Magdalena, d. of Ruluff and Catherine, b. Sept. 1,  
1741.

Dutcher, Margaret of Sal. and Alexander Bauldwin of Canaan,  
m. Mch. 31, 1755, by J. Lee.

\*Dutcher, Margeret, d. of Cornelius and Abigail, b. Sept. 26,  
1734.

\*Dutcher, Matthew, s. of Henry and Eloner, b. Mch. 2, 1739.

\*Dutcher, Ruluff, s. of Cornelius and Abigail, b. Sept. 5, 1737.

Dutcher, Ruluff, s. of John and Christian, b. Sept. 15, 1741.

Dutcher, Ruluff, s. of Ruluff and Catherine, b. Aug. 2, 1751.

## E

Eddy, Abner, s. of Zechriah and Mary, b. Feb. 20, 1747/8.

Eddy, Asa and Anne Evarts, both of Sal., m. Nov. 7, 1749, by  
J. Lee.

\*Eddy, Daniel, s. of Zacheriah and Marcy, b. Feb. 28, 1741/2.

Eddy, Josiah, s. of Asa and Anne, b. Mch. 9, 1755.

\*Eddy, Newbury, "ye second sone" of Zachariah and Mercy, b.  
Jan. 2, 1743/4.

Edmister, Mary, d. of William and Sarah, b. Apr. 8, 1761.

Edwards, George of Sal. and Elisabeth Bauldwin of Oblong, m.  
Jan. 18, 1758, by J. Lee.

NOTE. "Edwards" in 1893 transcript,—record is now Ed [        ].

Egelston, Patience and Joseph Fuller, both of Sal., m. Apr. 5,  
1753, by J. Lee.

Eldredge, Electe, d. of John and Lydia, b. July 22, 1765.

Eldridg, Sary and Joseph Bird Esq., both of Sal., m. May 11,  
1752, by J. Lee.

Evarts, Abner, s. of Nathaniel and Esther, b. Aug. 24, 1757.

Evarts, Ambros, s. of Silvanus and Elisheba, b. Nov. 27, 1759.

Evarts, Anne and Asa Eddy, both of Sal., m. Nov. 7, 1749, by  
J. Lee.

Evarts, Anne, d. of John Jr. and Anna, b. Feb. 16, 1763.

Evarts, Charles, s. of John and Submit, b. Sat. July 13, 1751.

- Evarts, Ebenezer, s. of Elijah and Mary, b. in Gilford, Sept. 21, 1745.
- Evarts, Eber, s. of Nathaniel and Esther, b. Dec. 7, 1752.
- Evarts, Eli, s. of Silvanus and Elisheba, b. July 13, 1752.
- Evarts, Elijah d. Dec. 8, 1754.
- Evarts, Elijah, s. of Elijah and Mary, b. in Gilford, Feb. 9, 1743.
- Evarts, Elisheba, d. of Silvanus and Elisheba, b. Feb. 21, 1762.
- Evarts, Esther, d. of Nathaniel and Esther, b. July 2, 1750.
- Evarts, Lois, d. of Amos and Marcy, b. Nov. 19, 1754.
- Evarts, Martin, s. of John and Submit, b. June 27, 1756.
- Evarts, Martin, s. of Gilbert and Rebekah, b. Oct. 7, 1765.
- Evarts, Mary, d. of Amos and Marcy, b. in Guilford, Oct. 29, 1747.
- Evarts, Miles, s. of Amos and Marcy, b. in Guilford, Oct. 13, 1750.
- Evarts, Mindwell, d. of Amos and Marcy, b. in Sal., Sept. 15, 1753.
- Evarts, Nathaniel, s. of Nathaniel and Esther, b. in Guilford, June 6, 1748.
- Evarts, Rosanna and Garshom Woodworth, both of Sal., m. Nov. 24, 1749.
- Evarts, Rozel, s. of Silvanus and Elisheba, b. July 13, 1755; d. Feb. 1, 1762, in his 7th year.
- Evarts, Rozel, s. of Silvanus and Elisheba, b. Nov. 5, 1765.
- Evarts, Samuel Gillet, s. of Elijah and Mary, b. in Gilford, Jan. 29, 1746/7.
- Evarts, Sarah, d. of Amos and Marcy, b. Mch. 14, 1757.
- Evarts, Sarah, d. of John and Submit, b. Feb. 21, 1761.
- Evarts, Sarah, d. of Silvanus and Elisheba, b. Apr. 1, 1764.
- Evarts, Sibel, d. of Nathaniel and Esther, b. Dec. —, 1759.
- Evarts, Silas, s. of Nathaniel and Esther, b. May 27, 1755.
- Evarts, Solomon, s. of John Jr. and Anna, b. Oct. 11, 1761.
- Evarts, Stephen, s. of John and Submit, b. Sept. 6, 1758.
- Evarts, Stephen, s. of John Jr. and Anna, b. Mch. 20, 1760.
- Evarts, Submit, d. of John and Submit, b. Nov. 29, 1753.
- Evarts, Timothy, s. of Silvanus and Elisheba, b. Sept. 25, 1749.
- Everest, Benjamin, s. of Benjamin and Hester, b. Jan. 7, 1751/2.
- Everest, Damaris, d. of David and Margaret, b. May 12, 1755.

- Everest, David of Sal. and Margaret Ferre of Sheffield, m. July 11, 1754, by Jonathan Hubbard, Pastor.
- Everest, David, s. of David and Margaret, b. July 19, 1756.
- Everest, David and Lois Jackson, both of Sal., m. June 18, 1761, by John Hutchinson, J. P.
- Everest, Ethan, s. of David and Lois, b. Dec. 28, 1763.
- Everest, Hester, d. of Benjamin and Esther, b. Jan. 8, 1760.
- Everest, Hester, d. of Benjamin and Hester, d. Mch. 23, 1758, in her 13th year.
- Everest, Isaac, s. of David and Lois, b. June 7, 1765.
- Everest, Jehiel, s. of David and Lois, b. Aug. 28, 1762.
- Everest, Joseph, s. of Benjamin and Hester, b. [            ].
- Everest, Margret, d. of David and Margret, b. June 26, 1758.
- Everest, Margret, wife of David, d. Apr. 19, 1760, in her 39th year.
- Everest, Noah, s. of David and Lois, b. Dec. 24, 1766.
- Everest, Rhoda, d. of Benjamin and Hester, b. [            ].
- Everest, Solomon, s. of David and Margret, b. Apr. 11, 1760.

## F

- Farnam, John, s. of Bezaleel and Phebe, b. Dec. 1, 1762.
- Fellows, Rachel of Sheffield and John Holms Jr. of Sal., m. Jan. 21, 1750/51, by J. Lee.
- Ferre, Margaret of Sheffield and David Everest of Sal., m. July 11, 1754, by Jonathan Hubbard, Pastor.
- Fitch, Abigail, d. of Billa and Phebe, b. in Sheffield, June 16, 1757.
- Fitch, Abigail, d. of Jonathan and Anne, b. Oct. 13, 1764.
- Fitch, Anna, d. of Bille and Phebe, b. Mch. 27, 1753.
- Fitch, Billey and Phebe Robards, both of Sal., m. Nov. 21, 1753, by J. Lee.
- Fitch, Ebenezer, s. of Ebenezer and Chloe, b. Mch. 15, 1766.
- Fitch, Ephraim, s. of Jonathan and Anne, b. in Norwich, Aug. 7, 1754.
- Fitch, Hannah of Covintry and Nathaniel Winslow of Sal., m. at Coventry Apr. 9, 1753. Witnesses,—Noah Porter and Rebekah Porter.
- Fitch, Jabez, s. of James and Abiael, b. Aug. 11, 1738.

- Fitch, James, s. of James and Abiael, b. Mch. 17, 1747.  
Fitch, James, s. of Jonathan and Anne, b. July 8, 1762.  
Fitch, Jamima, d. of Joseph Trumble Fitch and wife Jamima, b. Jan. 8, 1765.  
Fitch, John, s. of James and Abiael, b. Nov. 18, 1745.  
Fitch, Jonathan, s. of Jonathan and Anne, b. Aug. 19, 1756.  
Fitch, Joseph, s. of James and Abiael, b. Oct. 17, 1749.  
Fitch, Lydia, d. of Joseph Trumble Fitch and wife Jamima, b. Dec. 11, 1766.  
Fitch, Mason, s. of Jonathan and Anne, b. May 30, 1761; d. July 22, 1761.  
Fitch, Nathaniel, s. of James and Abiael, b. Aug. 7, 1752.  
Fitch, Rachel, d. of James and Abiael, b. July 7, 1736.  
Fitch, Samuel, s. of Bille and Phebe, b. May 26, 1754.  
Fitch, Sibel, d. of Joseph Trumble Fitch and wife Jamima, b. Nov. 13, 1762.  
Fitch, Sybil, d. of James and Abiael, b. Sept. 13, 1743.  
Fitch, Zoroaster, s. of Jonathan and Anne, b. Feb. 23, 1759.  
Fletcher, Bette, d. of Ebenezer Jr. and Olive, b. July 26, 1763.  
Fletcher, Cotten of Sal. and Thankful Bartlet of Guilford, m. Sept. 9, 1756, by J. Lee.  
Fletcher, John, s. of Ebenezer Jr. and Olive, b. Aug. 19, 1768.  
Fletcher, Molle, d. of Cotten and Thankfull, b. June 29, 1757.  
Fletcher, Samuel, s. of Cotten and Thankfull, b. Oct. 17, 1758.  
Fletcher, Silva, d. of Ebenezer Jr. and Olive, b. Feb. 15, 1766.  
Flint, Joanna, d. of Nathaniel, of Tolland, and Joanna, b. in Sal., Mch. 3, 1755.  
Fowler, Hanah, wife of Mark, d. Mch. 13, 1749, in her 24th year.  
Frink, Abigail and William Roberts, both of Sal., m. Nov. 21, 1752, by J. Lee.  
Full [        ], Bethsheba and William Corpe, both of Sal., m. Apr. 1 [        ]th, 1755, by David Whitney, J. P.  
Fuller, Abigail, wife of Ezekiel, d. Nov. 14, 1763.  
Fuller, Eber, s. of Joseph and Patience, b. Feb. 15, 1759.  
Fuller, Isaiah d. Sept. 18, 1760, in his 19th year.  
Fuller, Isaiah, s. of James and Abiah, b. Sept. 6, 1765.  
Fuller, Joseph and Patience Egleston, both of Sal., m. Apr. 5, 1753, by J. Lee.  
Fuller, Joseph, s. of Joseph and Patience, b. Jan. 19, 1755.

- Fuller, Luther, s. of Jeremiah and Bethiah, b. Sept. 28, 1753.  
Fuller, Lydia, d. of Jeremiah and Bethiah, b. Dec. 28, 1755.  
Fuller, Mary, d. of Ezekiel and Abigail, b. Feb. —, 1761; d.  
July 1, 1761.  
Fuller, Mary, d. of Ezekiel and Abigail, b. Apr. 19, 1762.  
Fuller, Patience, d. of Joseph and Patience, b. Jan. 21, 1761.  
Fuller, Sibbil, d. of Joseph and Patience, b. Dec. 16, 1756.

## G

- Gaston, Phebe, d. of Alexander and Mary, b. Apr. 22, 1765.  
\*Gillet, Nathan, s. of Nathaniel and Mercy, b. Feb. 28, 1742/3.  
Gifford. "Salisbury, Jan. ye 19th 1756. Then one Weston  
Gifford of Felmouth, aged about twenty-two years, lately a  
soldier in my company, died at my house, about 1 of the  
clock, this morning. Samuel Bellowes."  
Gillet, Abigail, d. of John and Abigail, b. Apr. 9, 1764.  
Gillet, Irena, d. of John and Abigail, b. June 29, 1760.  
Gillet, Jacob, s. of Nathaniel and Marcy, b. Mch. 19, 1749.  
Gillet, John of Sal. and Abigail Hough of Canaan, m. Nov. 14,  
1754, by John Beebe, J. P.  
Gillet, Jonathan, s. of John and Abigail, b. Mch. 23, 1762.  
Gillet, Jonathan d. Sept. 4, 1754.  
Gillet, Joseph, s. of Nathaniel and Marcy, b. Dec. 5, 1745; d.  
May 28, 1746.  
Gillet, Mary, d. of John and Abigail, b. Sept. 29, 1755.  
Gillet, Mercy, d. of Nathan and Hannah, b. May 28, 1766.  
Gillet, Nathaniel, s. of John and Abigail, b. in Sharon, May  
30, 1758.  
Goodrich, Mary of Sheffield and Prince Winslow of Sal., m.  
June 21, 1763, by Jonathan Hubbard, Pastor.  
Goodwin, Sarah, wife of Samuel, d. Mch. 29, 1757.  
Goodwin, Submit, d. of Samuel and Sarah, b. Mch. 24, 1757.  
Goodwin, Zebade, s. of Samuel and Sarah, b. Feb. 27, 1755.  
Gould, Asa, s. of Benoni and Sarah, b. Mch. 7, 1756.  
Gould, Jonathan, s. of Benoni and Sarah, b. Apr. 13, 1752.  
Grandy, Abigail, d. of Robert and Bethiah, b. Aug. 16, 1758.  
Grandy, Elizabeth, d. of Robert and Bethiah, b. Apr. 19, 1760.

- Gridley, Abigail and James Bird m. Aug. 23, 1750, by Rev. Mr. Burnam of Kensington Church.
- Gridley, Mary, d. of Noah and Mary, b. Mch. 2, 1764.
- Grifface, Jerusha and Asa Landon, both of Sal., m. Oct. 20, 1757, by J. Lee.
- Griswold, George, s. of John and Elizabeth, b. May 8, 1761.
- Griswold, Lucy, d. of John and Elizabeth, b. Apr. —, 1760.

## H

- Hall, Lydia, d. of John and Silance, b. Sept. 14, 1763.
- Hall, [            ], a son of John and Silance, still-born Sept. 14, 1763.
- Hally, Daniel, s. of Stephen and Patience, b. Apr. 2, 1763.
- Hally, Josiah, s. of Stephen and Patience, b. Jan. 26, 1767.
- N. B. Year date is from 1893 transcript; is illegible now.
- Hally, Samuel, s. of Stephen and Patience, b. Oct. 12, 1765.
- Hally, Sarah, d. of Stephen, d. June 1, 1763, in her 13th year.
- Hally, Sarah, d. of Stephen and Patience, b. July 15, 1764.
- Hally, Phebe, wife of Stephen, d. Mch. 1, 1760.
- Hanchet, Amos of Sal. and Hannah Hawley of Sharon, m. Jan. 1, 1761, by J. Lee.
- Hanchet, Ebenezer, s. of Ebenezer and Sarah, b. Feb. 7, 1747/8.
- Hanchet, Hanna, d. of Ebenezer and Sarah, b. May 27, 1750.
- Hanchet, Jonah, s. of Ebenezer and Sarah, b. Jan. 30, 1758.
- Hanchet, Mr. Joseph of Sal. and Mrs. Sarah Thomson of Goshen, m. Sept. 28, 1759, by Stephen Heaton, Pastor.
- Hanchet, Lucy, d. of Ebenezer and Sarah, b. in Canaan, Aug. 18, 1745.
- Hanchet, Mary of Suffield and John Landon Jr. of Sal., m. Dec. 23, 1762, by John Beebe, J. P.
- Hanchet, Ruth, d. of Ebenezer and Sarah, b. July 3, 1755; d. Nov. 6, 1759.
- Hanchet, Ruth, d. of Amos and Hannah, b. Nov. 29, 1761.
- Hanchet, Simeon, s. of Ebenezer and Sarah, b. Feb. 4, 1753.
- Hanchett, John, s. of Amos and Hannah, b. Aug. 28, 1764.
- Hanmer, Benjamin, s. of Joseph and Sibel, b. July 24, 1762.
- Hanmer, Lanson, s. of Joseph and Sibel, b. Sept. 19, 1765.

- Hawley, Hannah of Sharon and Amos Hanchet of Sal., m. Jan. 1, 1761, by J. Lee.
- Hayward, Jonas, s. of John and Elisabeth, b. Nov. 6, 1758.
- Heath, Abigail, d. of Josiah and Marcy, b. Jan. 21, 1753; d. Oct. 26, 1753.
- Heath, Elisabeth, d. of Josiah and Mercy, b. May 13, 1761.
- Heath, Hannah, d. of Josiah and Marcy, b. Sept. 3, 1744.
- Heath, Jonathan, s. of Josiah and Mercy, d. about Apr. 1760.
- Heath, Josiah, s. of Josiah and Marcy, b. Dec. 5, 1747.
- Heath, Levine, d. of Josiah and Marcy, b. Mch. 26, 1749.
- Heath, Louis (sic) d. of Josiah and Marcy, b. Mch. 22, 1751.
- Heath, Lucy, d. of Josiah and Marcy, b. Mch. 20, 1742.
- Heath, Mehetibel, d. of Josiah and Marcy, b. Dec. 30, 1745.
- Heath, Mercy, wife of Josiah, d. Oct. 28, 1763.
- Heath, Molle, d. of Josiah and Marcy, b. July 21, 1755.
- Heath, Nathanael, s. of Josiah and Marcy, b. June 19, 1743.
- Heath, Obadiah, s. of Josiah and Marcy, b. Sept. 30, 1757; d. about Apr. 1760.
- Heaton, Sarah of Ridgefield and John Reed of Sal., m. Sept. 27, 1757, by Rev. Mr. Ingersoll, Pastor.
- Herrick, Jacob, s. of Wait and Elisabeth, b. Dec. 24, 1749.
- Higley, Anne, d. of Josiah and Hephzibah, b. Oct. 1, 1760.
- Higley, Charity, d. of Josiah of Oblong and Hephzibah, b. in Sal., Sept. 13, 1756.
- Higley, Josiah and Hephzibah Cotten, both of Sal., m. Nov. 6, 1755, by J. Lee.
- Hodgkee, Rachel of New Haven and Moses Reed of Sal., m. Feb. 19, 1754, by J. Lee. Witnesses,—Josiah and Martha Lounsbury.
- Holmes, Ezra, s. of James and Sarah, b. Mch. 1, 1764.
- Holmes, James, s. of James and Sarah, b. Feb. 14, 1758.
- Holmes, Seth, s. of James and Sarah, b. Nov. 30, 1761.
- Holms, Asa, s. of John Jr. and Rachel, b. Mch. 22, 1754.
- Holms, James and Sarah Jewell, both of Sal., m. Apr. 1, 1755, by J. Lee.
- Holms, John Jr. of Sal. and Rachel Fellows of Sheffield, m. Jan. 21, 1750/51, by J. Lee.
- Holms, Mary, wife of Capt. John, d. Mch. 13, 1761, in her 58th year.

- Holms, Sarah, d. of James and Sarah, b. Mch. 16, 1756.  
Hoskin, Daniel, s. of Daniel and Sarah, b. July 31, 1766.  
Hoskin, Silas, s. of Benoni and Mahitable, b. May 8, 1767.  
Hoskins, Dorcase, d. of Micah and Abigail, b. May 22, 1762; d. Jan. 5, 1766.  
Hoskins, Roswel, s. of Micah and Abigail, b. Dec. 14, 1766.  
Hough, Abigail of Canaan and John Gillit of Sal., m. Nov. 14, 1754, by John Beebe, J. P.  
House, Hannah and Seth Cary, both of Sal., m. Feb. 28, 1750/51, by J. Lee.  
Hull, Cloe, d. of Jonathan and Susanna, b. July 5, 1758; d. Sept. 1, 1758.  
Hull, Daniel, s. of Daniel and Susannah, b. Nov. 6, 1757.  
Hull, Jehiel of Sal., a distracted man, was found dead in Wanocapocock (sic) pond, in Sal., Sun., Sept. 2, 1759.  
Hull, Jonathan, s. of Jonathan and Susanah, b. Nov. 19, 1761.  
Hull, Lemuel Sheldon, s. of Jonathan and Susanah, b. Mch. 31, 1765.  
Hull, Mabel, d. of Daniel and Susannah, b. Oct. 22, 1762.  
Hull, Moses, s. of Daniel and Susannah, b. Oct. 24, 1760.  
Hull, Rachel, d. of Jonathan and Susanna, b. May 27, 1759.  
Hull, Susannah, d. of Daniel and Susannah, b. July 16, 1764.  
Hull, William, s. of Jonathan and Susanah, b. Oct. 10, 1763.  
Hutchinson, Allice, d. of John and Temperance, b. Feb. 12, 1749/50; d. Feb. 19, 1749/50.  
Hutchinson, Asa, s. of John and Temperance, b. June 12, 1753.  
Hutchinson, Daniel, s. of John and Temperance, b. Feb. 10, 1759.  
\*Hutchinson, Hannah, d. of John and Temperance, b. Dec. 9, 1745; d. Mch. 12, 1746/7.  
\*Hutchinson, Hepzibah, d. of John and Temperance, b. Feb. 28, 1743/4; d. Jan. 2, 1746/7.  
Hutchinson, James, s. of John and Temperance, b. June 23, 1751.  
Hutchinson, John, s. of John and Temperance, d. "a soldier, at ye Jarmon Flats, in his return from Oswego," Oct. 19, 1760, in his 19th year.  
Hutchinson, Mary, d. of John and Temperance, b. Oct. 14, 1760.  
Hutchinson, Thomas, s. of John and Temperance, b. Mch. 31, 1748.



## I

- Isbel, Asenath, d. of Noah and Jerusha, b. Dec. 13, 1767.  
Isbel, Eli, s. of Noah and Jerusha, b. Sept. 27, 1760.  
Isbel, Hannah, d. of Noah and Jerusha, b. Mch. 5, 1763.  
Isbel, Nathan, s. of Noah and Jerusha, b. July 30, 1765.

## J

- Jackson, Lois and David Everest, both of Sal., m. June 18, 1761,  
by John Hutchinson, J. P.  
Jacobs, Adonijah, s. of David and Mary, b. Mch. 27, 1751.  
Jacobs, Archelus, s. of David and Ruth, b. Feb. 2, 1767.  
Jacobs, David and Ruth Tupper, Jr. (sic) both of Sal., m. Aug.  
31, 1763, by J. Hutchinson, J. P.  
Jacobs, David d. Nov. 3, 1758.  
Jacobs, Eliakiam, s. of David and Ruth, b. Mch. 20, 1764.  
Jacobs, John Knickabacor, s. of David and Ruth, b. Nov. 14,  
1765.  
Jacobs, Mary, d. of Zuriel and Rhoda, b. Tues., Oct. 28, 1765.  
Jacobs, Phebe, d. of Zuriel and Rhoda, b. Fri., Mch. 17, 1764.  
Jacobs, Rhoda, d. of Zuriel and Rhoda, b. Wed., Apr. 30, 1761.  
Jacobs, Sarah, d. of Zuriel and Rhoda, b. Tues., Feb. 1, 1763.  
Jaqua, Asahel, s. of Aaron and Rebekah, b. Apr. 9, 1752.  
Jaqua, Betty, d. of Aaron and Rebekah, b. Sept. 11, 1759.  
Jaqua, Hannah, d. of Aaron and Rebekah, b. Aug. 8, 1747.  
Jaqua, Perthena, d. of Aaron and Rebekah, b. Aug. 17, 1749.  
Jaqua, Rebecca, d. of Aaron and Rebekah, b. Oct. 8, 1761.  
Jaqua, Simon, s. of Aaron and Rebekah, b. June 11, 1754.  
Jewel, Bette, d. of David and Christian, b. Sept. 29, 1751.  
Jewel, Jonathan, s. of David and Christian, b. June 2, 1749.  
Jewell, Aaron, s. of Nathaniel Jr. and Rachel, b. Feb. 28, 1764.  
Jewell, Abi, d. of Joshua and Mary, b. in Cornwall, July 6, 1745.  
Jewell, Anne, d. of Joshua and Mary, b. in Cornwall, May 25,  
1747.  
Jewell, Anne, d. of Ebenezer and Ann, b. Sept. 29, 1765.  
Jewell, Dorcas, d. of Ebenezer and Ann, b. Aug. 2, 1767.  
Jewell, Ebenezer and Ann Norton, both of Sal., m. July 28, 1757,  
by J. Lee.

- Jewell, Ebenezer, s. of Ebenezer and Ann, b. Dec. 14, 1759.  
 Jewell, Eliphalet, s. of Joshua and Mary, b. in Plainfield, Nov. 22, 1736.  
 Jewell, Eliphalet of Sal. and Abigail Whitney of Canaan, m. Sept. 20, 1757, by Daniel Farin.  
 Jewell, Esther, d. of Ebenezer and Ann, b. Sept. 5, 1761.  
 Jewell, Jesse, s. of David and Christian, b. Feb. 15, 1754.  
 Jewell, Jonathan, s. of Oliver and Phebe, b. June 30, 1764.  
 Jewell, Joshua, s. of Joshua and Mary, b. in Cornwall, May 14, 1741.  
 Jewell, Lucy, d. of Nathaniel Jr. and Rachel, b. Apr. 5, 1761.  
 Jewell, Mary, d. of Joshua and Mary, b. in Cornwall, July 12, 1743.  
 Jewell, Nathaniel, s. of Nathaniel and Rachel, b. Sept. 17, 1762.  
 Jewell, Oliver, s. of Joshua and Mary, b. in Plainfield, Mch. 14, 1739.  
 Jewell, Oliver, s. of Oliver and Phebe, b. July 7, 1766.  
 Jewell, Rachel, d. of Nathaniel Jr. and Rachel, b. July 1, 1766.  
 Jewell, Sarah and James Holms, both of Sal., m. Apr. 1, 1755, by J. Lee.  
 Jewell, Sarah, d. of Joshua and Mary, b. in Plainfield, Aug. 19, 1734.  
 Jewell, Sarah, d. of Ebenezer and Ann, b. May 21, 1758.  
 Jewell, Sarah, d. of Oliver and Phebe, b. Nov. 11, 1761.  
 Jewell, Thankfull, d. of Ebenezer and Ann, b. Dec. 1, 1763.  
 Joslen, Mary and Elijah Skinner, both of Sal., m. Dec. 30, 1756, by Daniel Farrin, Pastor in Canaan.

## K

- Keep, Eunice, d. of Samuel and Sarah, b. Aug. 30, 1756.  
 Keep, Phebe, d. of Jabez and Sarah, b. June 7, 1766.  
 Keep, Samuel and Sarah Chipman, both of Sal., m. Dec. 25, 1755, by J. Lee.  
 Keep, Sarah, d. of Jabez and Phebe, b. Aug. 29, 1763.  
 Keep, Solomon, s. of Jabez and Phebe, d. May 2, 1765, "by being drowned."  
 Kent, Dorkis, d. of Seth and Lois, b. Dec. 21, 1756.

- Knickerbacker, Abraham, s. of John and Jamima, b. Apr. 12, 1733.
- Knickerbacker, Harman, s. of John and Jamima, b. Jan. 13, 1741/2.
- Knickerbacker, Isaac, s. of John and Jamima, b. June 17, 1750.
- Knickerbacker, Jane, d. of John and Jamima, b. Aug. 6, 1747.
- Knickerbacker, Lawrance, s. of John and Jamima, b. Sept. 7, 1739.
- Knickerbacker, Mary, d. of John and Jamima, b. Dec. 18, 1744.
- Knickerbacker, Morache of Dutches Co. and Ruluff White of Sal., m. May 24, 1748, by Aaron Phetch, J. P. Witness,—Peter White.
- Knickerbacker, Sarah, d. of John and Jamima, b. Mch. 11, 1752.
- Knickerbacker, Solomon, s. of John and Jamima, b. Oct. 12, 1754.
- Knickerbacor, Elizabeth, d. of Lawrance and Ketherine, b. Mch. 16, 1764.
- Knickerbacor, John, s. of Harmon and Thankful, b. Sept. 15, 1766.
- Knickerbacor, Molly, d. of Abraham and Jerusha, b. Oct. 21, 1762.
- Knickerbacor, Samuel, s. of Lawrance and Katharine, b. Jan. 12, 1762.

## L

- Lamb, Abi, d. of Isaac and Elisabeth, b. Feb. 27, 1755.
- \*Lamb, Gideon, fifth s. of Thomas (sic), b. Feb. 20, 1740/1.
- Lamb, Hannah, d. of Isaac and Elisabeth, b. Feb. 21, 1753.
- \*Lamb, Isaac, fourth s. of Thomas (sic) b. Feb. 1, 1738/9.
- Lamb, John, s. of Isaac and Elisabeth, b. May 19, 1757.
- \*Lamb, Luke, second s. of Thomas (sic) b. July 17, 1734.
- Land [            ], James Jr. and Mary Reed, both of Sal., m. Nov. 18, 1756, by James Landon, J. P.
- Landon, Alice, d. of Thomas and Hannah, b. Oct. 22, 1764; d Jan. 3, 1765.
- Landon, Asa and Jerusha Grifface, both of Sal., m. Oct. 20, 1757, by J. Lee.
- Landon, Asa, s. of Asa and Jerusha, b. Apr. 13, 1766.

- Landon, Ashbel, s. of James Jr. and Mary, b. Aug. 7, 1763.  
Landon, David, s. of John and Katharine, b. July 4, 1763.  
Landon, Elisabeth, d. of John and Katherine, b. Sept. 27, 1756.  
Landon, Elisha, s. of Ezekiel and Azubah, b. June 3, 1766.  
Landon, Erastus, s. of James Jr. and Mary, b. Sept. 9, 1760.  
Landon, Ezekiel, s. of Ezekiel and Azubah, b. Jan. 9, 1765.  
Landon, George, s. of John and Catharene, b. June 23, 1749.  
Landon, Hannah, d. of John and Katherine, b. Apr. 29, 1761.  
Landon, Hannah, d. of Asa and Jerusha, b. Jan. 6, 1764.  
\*Landon, James, s. of John and Katheren, b. Sept. 28, 1744.  
Landon, James, s. of James Jr. and Mary, b. Jan. 12, 1759.  
\*Landon, John and Katheren White, m. Nov. 5, 1741.  
\*Landon, John, s. of John and Katharen, b. July 28, 1742.  
Landon, John Jr. of Sal. and Mary Hanchet of Suffield, m. Dec. 23, 1762, by John Beebe, J. P.  
Landon, John, s. of Ezekial and Azubah, b. July 7, 1763.  
Landon, John, s. of Ambrose and Abigail, b. Sept. 13, 1765.  
Landon, Katharine, d. of John and Katherine, b. May 4, 1754.  
Landon, Katharine, d. of John and Mary, b. Apr. 14, 1765.  
Landon, Lois, d. of Asa and Jerusha, b. May 20, 1759.  
Landon, Luther, s. of James Esq. and Sarah, b. Sept. 16, 1752.  
Landon, Lydia, d. of John Jr. and Mary, b. Feb. 15, 1763.  
\*Landon, Mary, d. of John and Katherine, b. Feb. 27, 1747.  
Landon, Mary, d. of James Jr. and Mary, b. July 18, 1757.  
Landon, Milton, s. of James Jr. and Mary, b. May 30, 1762;  
d. Sept. 29, 1762.  
Landon, Nance, d. of James Esq. and Sarah, b. Jan. 18, 1755.  
Landon, Nathan, s. of James Jr. and Mary, b. Oct. 18, 1765.  
Landon, Orriante, d. of John and Catharene, b. Feb. 7, 1751/2.  
Landon, Rufas, s. of John and Katherine, b. Feb. 4, 1759.  
Landon, Sarah, d. of Asa and Jerusha, b. Oct. 1, 1761.  
Landon, Sarah, d. of Ezekiel and Azubah, b. Nov. 17, 1761.  
Landon, Thomas, s. of Thomas and Hannah, b. May 27, 1766.  
Lane, Elisha, s. of Samuel and Abigail, b. in Sal., Jan. 7, 1762.  
Lane, Lydia, d. of Samuel and Abigail, b. in Killingworth, Dec. 3, 1759.  
Lane, Nabbe, d. of Samuel and Abigail, b. Aug. 28, 1764.  
Lane, Samuel, s. of Samuel and Abigail, b. in Killingworth, Oct. 9, 1757.

- Lee, Abigail and Peter Cogsel, both of Sal., m. May 26, 1754,  
by J. Lee.
- Lee, Abigal, d. of Joseph Jr. and Mary, b. Sept. 30, 1751.
- Lee, Chauncy, s. of Rev. Mr. Jonathan and Love, b. Nov. 9,  
1763.
- Lee, Cloa, d. of Jonathan and Elisabeth, b. Thurs., Sept. 20, 1751;  
d. Mch. 26, 1752.
- Spelled Cloe in death record.
- Lee, Elisabeth, wife of Rev. Mr. Jonathan, d. Feb. 22, 1762.
- Lee, Elisabeth, d. of Jonathan and Elisabeth, b. Fri. night, Sept.  
4, 1747.
- Lee, Elisha, s. of Rev. Mr. Jonathan and Elizabeth, b. Feb. 13,  
1757.
- Lee, Hannah and Nathaniel Buell, both of Sal., m. Apr. 23, 1761,  
by J. Lee.
- \*Lee, John, s. of Joseph and Mary, b. Oct. 18, 1747.
- Lee, John, s. of Joseph Jr. and Mary, b. Oct. 18, 1747.
- Lee, Mr. Jonathan of Sal. and Mrs. Elisabeth Metcalf, m. Mon-  
day night, Oct. 26, 1745, by Rev. Mr. Solomon Williams,  
Pastor of the Church in Lebanon.
- Lee, Rev. Mr. Jonathan and Mrs. Love Brinkerhoff of Wood-  
bury, Conn., m. at Woodbury, Nov. 22, 1762, by John  
Graham, Pastor.
- Lee, Jonathan, s. of Jonathan and Elisabeth, b. Sat., Oct. 26,  
1745.
- Lee, Joseph, s. of Joseph Jr. and Mary, b. Aug. 9, 1755.
- Lee, Mr. Joseph d. Aug. 18, 1764.
- Lee, Mary, d. of Joseph Jr. and Mary, b. "in Redin fairfield  
Bounds" May 3, 1743.
- Lee, Mylo, s. of Jonathan and Elisabeth, b. June 27, 1760.
- Lee, Noah, s. of Noah Lee of Norwalk, deceased, and Elisabeth,  
b. in Norwalk, Oct. 1, 1743.
- Lee, Rhoda, d. of Rev. Jonathan and Elisabeth, b. Feb. 26, 1753.
- Lee, Robert Walker, s. of Rev. Mr. Jonathan and Love, b. Apr.  
4, 1765.
- Lee, Salome, d. of Mr. Jonathan and Elisabeth, b. Dec. 15, 1754.
- Lee, Samuel, s. of Jonathan and Elisabeth, b. 11 A. M. Wed.,  
Sept. 27, 1749.
- Lee, William, s. of Joseph Jr. and Mary, b. Mch. 2, 1758; d.  
Mch. 3, 1758.

- Lomis, Eleazer, s. of Hezekiah and Hephzibah, b. Dec. 17, 1748.
- Loomis, Elisabeth and Isaac Williams, both of Sal., m. Mch. 12, 1750, by J. Lee.
- Loomis, Hephzibah, d. of Hezekiah Jr. and Sarah, b. Mch. 22, 1751; d. Oct. 30, 1758, in her 7th year.
- Loomis, Hephzibah, d. of Hezekiah Jr. and Sarah, b. Dec. 30, 1758.
- Loomis, Hezekiah Jr. of Sal. and Sarah Pettit of Sharon, m. Nov. —, 1749, by John Searle, Clerk.
- Loomis, Hezekiah, s. of Hezekiah Jr. and Sarah, b. Aug. 25, 1754; d. Aug. 29, 1754.
- Loomis, Hezekiah, s. of Hezekiah Jr. and Sarah, b. Dec. 11, 1755.
- Loomis, Hezekiah Jr. d. Nov. 26, 1760.
- Loomis, Sarah, d. of Hezekiah Jr. and Sarah, b. Dec. 14, 1749.
- Loomis, [ ] a d. of Hezekiah Jr. and Sarah, still-born Dec. 14, 1752.
- Lord, Daniel, s. of David and Lydia, b. Mch. 4, 1751.
- Lord, David, s. of David and Lydia, b. July 4, 1744.
- Lord, Elijah, s. of David and Lydia, b. Oct. 4, 1765.
- Lord, Elisabeth, d. of David and Lydia, b. Feb. 6, 1749.
- Lord, Elisha, s. of David and Lydia, b. Nov. 17, 1758.
- Lord, Hannah, d. of David and Lydia, b. June 12, 1763.
- Lord, Joel, s. of David and Lydia, b. Mch. 12, 1754, O. S.
- Lord, Lydia, d. of David and Lydia, b. July 15, 1746.
- Lord, Mary, d. of David and Lydia, b. Feb. 27, 1761.
- Lord, Ruth, d. of David and Lydia, b. Nov. 23, 1756.
- Lounsbeary, Mary, d. of Josiah and Martha, b. Mch. 31, 1753.
- Lounsbury, Rachel, d. of Josiah and Martha, b. Sept. 3, 1755.
- Lyman, Chloe, d. of Simeon and Elisabeth, b. June 18, 1764.
- Lyman, Elisabeth, d. of Simeon and Elisabeth, b. Feb. 10, 1751.
- Lyman, Hannah, d. of Simeon and Elisabeth, b. Oct. 5, 1749.
- Lyman, Isaac, s. of Simeon and Elisabeth, b. Apr. 3, 1766.
- Lyman, John, s. of Simeon and Elisabeth, b. Mch. 4, 1760.
- Lyman, Noah, s. of Simeon and Elisabeth, b. Mch. 28, 1756; d. Sept. 26, 1757.
- Lyman, Noah, s. of Simeon and Elisabeth, b. Mch. 10, 1758.
- Lyman, Olive, d. of Simeon and Elisabeth, b. May 16, 1762.
- Lyman, Simeon and Elisabeth Beebe, m. Jan. 5, 1748/9, by J. Lee.
- Lyman, Simeon, s. of Simeon and Elisabeth, b. Jan. 7, 1754.

## M

- Marsh, Sarah, d. of Eliphalet and Sarah, b. May 31, 1765.
- Meigs, Lusina, d. of Janna Jr. and Rebekah, b. at Wallingford, Mch. 8, 1765.
- Merrelle, Esther of Farmington and Lot Norten of Sal., m. Dec. 2, 1756, by Rev. Timothy Pitkin, Pastor.
- Metcalf, Mrs. Elizabeth and Mr. Jonathan Lee, m. Monday night, Oct. 26, 1745, by Rev. Mr. Solomon Williams, Pastor of the Church in Lebanon.
- Millard, Marilla, d. of Oliver and Sarah, b. Feb. 7, 1767.
- Moer, Abigail and Philip Spencer, both of Sal., m. Sept. 25, 1751, by J. Lee.
- Moer, Elijah, s. of Jonathan and Abigail, b. Apr. 13, 1752.
- Moer, Elijah d. Apr. 24, 1752.
- Moer, Jehiel, s. of Jonathan and Abigail, b. Nov. 19, 1747.
- Moore, Anna of the Nine Partners and Ephraim Woodwarth of Sal., m. Aug. 15, 1754, by Samuel Hutchinson J. P. Witnesses,—Jesse and Sarah Chatfield.
- Moore, Chloe, d. of Samuel Jr. and Hannah, b. June 18, 1766.
- Moore, Daniel, s. of Samuel Jr. and Hannah, b. Mch. 2, 1764.
- Moore, David, s. of Capt. Samuel and Rachel, b. Sept. 2, 1758.
- Moore, Hannah, d. of Samuel and Rachel, b. Nov. 15, 1751.
- Moore, Jehiel, s. of Jonathan and Abigail, d. June 15, 1750, in his 3rd year.
- Moore, John and Mary Bingham, both of Sal., m. Dec. 15, 1762, by J. Lee.
- Moore, John, s. of John and Mary, b. May 31, 1766.
- Moore, Jonathan, s. of Jonathan Jr. and Anna, b. Sept. 26, 1758; d. Aug. 26, 1759.
- Moore, Jonathan, s. of Jonathan Jr. and Anna, b. Nov. 6, 1759; d. Jan. 21, 1761.
- Moore, Justas, s. of Simeon and Abigail, b. in Oblong, Dec. 22, 1754.
- Moore, Levina, d. of Simon and Abigail, b. Feb. 23, 1758.
- Moore, Mary, d. of Samuel and Rachel, b. Jan. 28, 1748/9.
- Moore, Mary, d. of Jonathan Jr. and Anna, b. June 3, 1762.
- Moore, Molley, d. of John and Mary, b. Sept. 14, 1763.
- Moore, Nathan, s. of Samuel Jr. and Hannah, b. July 10, 1765.

Moore, Phebe, d. of Capt. Samuel and Rachel, b. Jan. 17, 1756.  
 Moore, Rachel and Solomon Bingham, both of Sal., m. June 4,  
 1761, by J. Lee.

Moore, Roderick, s. of Jonathan Jr. and Anna, b. Feb. 9, 1761.

Moore, Rodger, s. of Rodger and Meriam, b. Sept. 24, 1765.

Moore, Ruth, d. of Jonathan Jr. and Anna, b. Oct. 3, 1764.

Moore, Samuel Jr. of Sal. and Hannah Beebe of Canaan, m.

May (?) 7, 1763, by Dan'l Farrand, Pastor in Canaan.

\*Moore, Sarah, d. of Samuel and Rachel, b. Apr. 11, 1746.

Moore, Sarah, d. of John and Mary, b. Dec. 23, 1764.

Moore, Silas, s. of Capt. Samuel and Rachel, b. Sept. 9, 1762.

Moore, Susannah, d. of Rodger and Meriam, b. Dec. 20, 1763.

Morhous, Andrew, s. of Andrew and Phebe, b. Nov. 6, 1750.

Morris, Daniel, s. of Daniel and Elizbeth, b. [            ], 1754.

Morris, Lowes, d. of Daniel and Elizabeth, b. Mch. 11, 1756.

Morris, Sarah, d. of Daniel and Elisabeth, b. Sept. 14, 1758.

Moulton, John, s. of Samuel and Sarah, b. Dec. 18, 1766.

Moulton, Truman, s. of Samuel and Sarah, b. Feb. 10, 1765.

Munger, Bille and Hanna Sikes, both of Sal., m. Apr. 15, 1752,  
 by J. Lee.

Munger, Billy, s. of Billy and Hanna, b. Dec. 16, 1754.

Munger, Hannah, d. of Billy and Hannah, b. June 28, 1757.

Munger, Mary, d. of Billy and Hannah, b. Oct. 29, 1759.

Munger, Mary, d. of Billy and Hannah, b. Feb. 8, 1762.

Munger, Meriam, d. of Billy and Hanna, b. in Oblong, Mch. 18,  
 1753.

Munger, Silvanus, s. of Billy and Hannah, b. July 3, 1764.

## N

\*Newcomb, Azariah and Deborah Buell, m. May 4, 1743.

\*Newcomb, Buell, s. of Azariah and Deborah, b. Wed., Mch. 28,  
 1744; d. Sept. 22, 1746.

\*Newcomb, Deborah, d. of Cyrenius and Sarah, b. Sunday, May  
 5, 1745.

\*Newcomb, Judeth, d. of Azariah and Deborah, b. Sept. 22, 1745.

Nickols, Hannah, d. of John and Abigail, b. Aug. 20, 1757.

Nickols, John Jr. and Abigail Barret, both of Sal., m. May 24,  
 1756, by J. Lee. Witnesses,—Phineas Adams and Dorothy  
 Cobb.



- Northrop, Sarah of Ammete and Hezekiah Camp Jr. of Sal., m  
Nov. 21, 1752, by Rev. Mr. Woodbridge, Pastor.
- Northrup, Abi, d. of Joseph Jr. and Mary, b. Feb. 13, 1767.
- Northrup, Annah and Abijah Rood, both of Sal., m. Aug. 22,  
1763, by John Hutchinson, J. P.  
See under A. Rood.
- Northrup, Elisabeth, d. of Joseph and Allen, b. in Ridgefield,  
Dec. 4, 1756.
- Northrup, Eunice, d. of Joseph and Allen, b. in Ridgefield, May  
3, 1755.
- Northrup, Jeremiah, s. of Joseph and Allen, b. in Ridgefield, Jan.  
8, 1759; d. Sept. 29, 1762, in his 4th year.
- Northrup, Jeremiah, s. of Samuel and Phebe, b. Feb. 12, 1765.
- Northrop, Mary, d. of Joseph Jr. and Mary, b. Feb. 17, 1765.
- Northrup, Phebe, d. of Samuel and Phebe, b. Feb. 19, 1766.
- Norten, Abigail, d. of Samuel and Sarah, b. Apr. 13, 1756.
- Norten, Chloe, d. of Samuel and Sarah, b. in Sal., Aug. 10, 1752.
- Norten, Huldah, d. of Samuel and Sarah, b. June 2, 1761; d.  
Feb. 20, 1765.
- Norten, Huldah, d. of Samuel and Sarah, b. June 9, 1765.
- Norten, Ishi, s. of Samuel and Sarah, b. Oct. 27, 1757; d. July  
18, 1762.
- Norten, Ishi, s. of Samuel and Sarah, b. Nov. 5, 1763; d. May  
24, 1766.
- Norten, Samuel, s. of Samuel and Sarah, b. in Guilford, Oct. 16,  
1748.
- Norten, Sarah, d. of Samuel and Sarah, b. in Guilford, Sept. 23,  
1750.
- Norten, Esther, d. of Lot and Esther, b. June 22, 1759.
- Norten, Lot of Sal. and Esther Merrelle of Farmington, m. Dec.  
2, 1756, by Rev. Timothy Pitkin, Pastor.
- Norten, [            ], s. of Lot and Esther, b. Mch. 24, 1761; d.  
the same day.
- Norton, Ann and Ebenezer Jewell, both of Sal., m. July 28, 1757,  
by J. Lee.
- Norton, Sarah, d. of Lot and Esther, b. Apr. 26, 1766.

## O

- Owen, Abigail, d. of Lennerd and Mary, b. July 18, 1766.
- Owen, Alatheia and Claudius Brittal, both of Sal., m. Mch. 19, 1760, by J. Lee.
- Owen, Alatheia, d. of John and Deborah, b. Oct. 17, 1762.
- Owen, Amasa, s. of Jonathan and Patience, b. Feb. 10, 1753.
- Owen, Ann, d. of David and Margret, b. Apr. 14, 1747.
- Owen, Ann, d. of Elijah and Olive, b. Aug. 27, 1765.
- Owen, Asenath, d. of John and Deborah, b. July 12, 1764.
- Owen, Chloe, d. of John and Deborah, b. Aug. 12, 1766.
- Owen, Daniel, s. of David and Margret, b. Aug. 20, 1753.
- Owen, David, s. of David and Margaret, b. Nov. 13, 1756.
- Owen, Deidamia, d. of Eliphalet and Eunice, b. Mch. 2, 1763.
- Owen, Electe, d. of Elijah and Olive, b. Jan. 3, 1762.
- Owen, Elijah and Olive Bemon, both of Sal., m. Nov. 10, 1756, by James Landon, J. P.
- Owen, Elijah, s. of Elijah and Olive, b. Apr. 27, 1759.
- Owen, Elijah, s. of Elijah and Patience, d. Jan. 28, 1755, the same day he was born.
- Owen, Elisha, s. of Elijah and Olive, b. Oct. 5, 1760.
- Owen, Esther, d. of Elijah and Olive, b. Aug. 22, 1763.
- Owen, Eunice, d. of Lennerd and Experience, b. Nov. 31, 1754.
- Owen, Experience, wife of Lennerd Owen, d. May 1, 1756, in her 24th year.
- Owen, Gideon, s. of Eliphalet and Eunice, b. June 23, 1765.
- Owen, Hulda, d. of Elijah and Patience, b. Jan. 28, 1755: d. the same day.
- Owen, Irene and Asa Blogget, both of Sal., m. Dec. 7, 1750, by J. Lee.
- Owen, Irene, d. of Eliphalet and Eunice, b. Dec. 1, 1760.
- Owen, James, s. of James and Jehanna, b. Apr. 1, 1765.
- Owen, Jamima, d. of Joshua and Hannah, b. Sept. 19, 1754.
- Owen, John and Deborah Williams, m. Mch. 4, 1762, by J. Lee.
- \*Owen, Jonathan, 2nd son of Jonathan (sic), b. Mch. 18, 1742/3.
- Owen, Joseph of Sal. d. Sept. 9, 1758, in his 74th year.
- Owen, Joseph, s. of Jonathan and Patience, b. Feb. 20, 1750/51.
- Owen, Julius, s. of Elijah and Olive, b. Apr. 23, 1769.
- Owen, Lennerd, s. of Lennerd and Experience, b. Apr. 20, 1756.

- Owen, Lennerd and Mary Stannerd, both of Sal., m. Apr. 28, 1757, by J. Lee.
- Owen, Loas, d. of Elijah and Olive, b. Feb. 28, 1767.
- Owen, Lusina, d. of Lennerd and Mary, b. Oct. 18, 1764.
- Owen, Lydia and Thomas Tuttle, both of Sal., m. Feb. 1, 1753, by J. Lee.
- Owen, Margaret, d. of Joshua and Hannah, b. Aug. 4, 1759.
- \*Owen, Mary, d. of Jonathan (sic), b. Apr. 16, 1745.
- Owen, Mary, d. of Lennerd and Mary, b. June 20, 1759.
- Owen, Meriam, d. of Joshua and Hannah, b. Nov. 8, 1763.
- Owen, Naomi, d. of Elijah and Patience, b. Feb. 19, 1750.
- Owen, Naomi, d. of Elijah and Patience, b. Mch. 3, 1751.
- Owen, Oliver, s. of Jonathan and Patience, b. Sept. 24, 1748.
- Owen, Patience, d. of Elijah and Patience, b. Mch. 14, 1756; d. Mch. 18, 1756.
- Owen, Patience, wife of Elijah Owen, d. Mch. 19, 1756.
- Owen, Patience, d. of Elijah and Olive, b. Feb. 2, 1758.
- Owen, Phebe, d. of Elijah and Patience, b. Mch. 1, 1753.
- Owen, Ruth, d. of Joshua and Hannah, b. May 13, 1756.
- Owen, Sabre, d. of Lennerd and Mary, b. Dec. 26, 1757.
- Owen, Sary, d. of Elijah and Patience, b. in Lebanon, July 18, 1748.
- Owen, Sibel, d. of Lennerd and Mary, b. Sept. 1, 1761.
- Owen, Thadeus, s. of Lennerd and Mary, b. Jan. 27, 1763.
- Owen, Thomas, s. of David and Margret, b. Feb. 27, 1748/9.
- \*Owen, William, s. of Jonathan and Patience, b. Apr. 7, 1741.
- Owin, Rebekah, d. of David and Margret, b. May 30, 1751.

## P

- Pateson, William and Abigail Cary, both of Sal., m. Apr. 11, 1757, by James Landon, J. P.
- Patterson, Daniel, s. of William and Abigail, b. Jan. 5, 1758.
- Peck, Abigail, d. of Isaac and Ruth, b. June 14, 1754.
- Peck, Lowrain, d. of Isaac and Ruth, b. May 23, 1756.
- Peck, Mehitable, d. of Isaac and Ruth, b. June 14, 1754.
- Pers, Sarah of Stratford and Thomas Reed Jr. of Norwalk, both in Fairfield Co., m. Apr. 7, 1763, by Moses Mather, V. D. M.

- Pettit, Sarah of Sharon and Hezekiah Loomis Jr. of Sal., m. Nov. —, 1749, by John Searle, Clerk.
- Pew, William and Olive Vandusen, both of Sal., m. Jan. 20, 1763, by Jno. Hutchinson, J. P.
- Phelps, Daniel, s. of Daniel and Eunice, b. "in Anchrom on Levingston's Manor," Province of N. Y., Oct. 29, 1745.
- Phelps, Ely, s. of Daniel and Eunice, b. Nov. 14, 1751.
- Phelps, Jabez, s. of Daniel and Eunice, b. in Sheffield, Nov. 18, 1743.
- Phelps, Pyna, d. of Daniel and Eunice, b. Oct. 8, 1749.
- Phelps, Sarah, d. of Daniel and Eunice, b. in Sal., Sept. 12, 1747.
- Porter, Abigail, d. of Nathaniel and Abigail, b. in Woodbury, Conn., Jan. 12, 1750.
- Porter, Abigail, d. of Joshua and Abigail, b. Oct. 20, 1762.
- Porter, David, s. of Nathaniel and Abigail, b. Dec. 4, 1763.
- Porter, Esther, d. of Nathaniel and Abigail, b. July 11, 1759.
- Porter, Eunice, d. of Joshua and Abigail, b. Sept. 10, 1765.
- Porter, Joanna, d. of Nathaniel and Abigail, b. Dec. 10, 1756.
- Porter, Joseph, s. of Nathaniel and Abigail, b. Aug. 16, 1761.
- Porter, Joshua of Sal. and Abigail Buel of Covintry, m. May 14, 1759, by Oliver Noble, Pastor.
- Porter, Joshua, s. of Joshua and Abigail, b. May 1, 1760.
- Porter, Lucy, d. of Nathaniel and Abigail, b. Dec. 24, 1766.
- Porter, Mary, d. of Nathaniel and Abigail, b. Mch. 12, 1752.
- Porter, Nathaniel, s. of Nathaniel and Abigail, b. Aug. 26, 1754.
- Porter, Rebekah, mother of Ensign Benjamin Smalley, of Sal., d. Aug. 31, 1753, in her 78th year.

## R

- Reed, Abigail, d. of Elias and Mary, b. in Sal., Jan. 15, 1754.
- Reed, Abigail, d. of Moses and Rachel, d. May 10, 1758, aged one day.
- Reed, Abraham, s. of Moses and Rachel, b. Mch. 30, 1762.
- Reed, Ame, d. of Peter and Thankfull, b. Apr. 18, 1765.
- Reed, Anna, d. of Moses and Rachel, b. Sept. 25, 1754.
- Reed, Clooe, d. of Moses and Rachel, b. May 3, 1756.
- Reed, Daniel, s. of Elias and Mary, b. May 24, 1756. (Another entry says May 22.)

- Reed, Daniel, s. of Thomas and Sarah, b. Jan. 8, 1764.
- Reed, Desire, d. of Elias and Mary, b. in Stanford, Sept. 28, 1743.
- Reed, Disea and Andrew Barton, both of Sal., m. Dec. 11, 1760, by James Landon, J. P.
- Reed, Ebenezer, s. of Peter and Thankful, b. Nov. 21, 1760.
- Reed, Elias, s. of Elias and Mary, b. in Stanford, Apr. 28, 1749.
- Reed, Isaac, s. of Peter and Thankful, b. Mch. 7, 1759: d. Aug. 30, 1760, in his 2nd year.
- Reed, Isaac, s. of Peter and Thankfull, b. Feb. 12, 1767.
- Reed, Ithiel, b. in Stanford, Apr. 26, 1728.
- Reed, Joel, s. of Elias and Mary, b. in Stanford, Oct. 24, 1751.
- Reed, John of Sal. and Sarah Heaton of Ridgfield, m. Sept. 27, 1757, by Rev. Mr. Ingersoll, Pastor.
- Reed, John, s. of Elias and Mary, b. Jan. 21, 1764.
- Reed, Katharine of Stanford and Jonathan Chipman of Sal., m. Oct. 5, 1756, by Rev. Mr. Mather, Pastor.
- Reed, Martha, d. of Elias and Mary, b. in Stanford, Nov. 24, 1745: d. Feb. 4, 1746.
- Reed, Martha, d. of Elias and Mary, b. in Stanford, Nov. 9, 1746.
- Reed, Mary, d. of Elias and Mary, b. in Stanford, Dec. 12, 1740.
- Reed, Mary and James Land [                      ], both of Sal., m. Nov. 18, 1756, by James Landon, J. P.
- Reed, Moses of Sal. and Rachel Hodgkee of New Haven, m. Feb. 19, 1754, by J. Lee. Witnesses,—Josiah and Martha Lounsbury.
- Reed, Nathan, s. of Elias and Mary, b. May 28, 1758: d. Nov. 2, 1764.
- Reed, Rachel, d. of Moses and Rachel, b. Nov. 15, 1759.
- Reed, Sarah of Sharon and Eliphalet Buell of Sal., m. Dec. 7, 1752, by J. Lee.
- Reed, Sarah, d. of John Jr. and Sarah, b. Sept. 10, 1758.
- Reed, Stephen, s. of Elias and Mary, b. Oct. 7, 1761.
- Reed, Thankfull, d. of Peter and Thankfull, b. June 17, 1763.
- Reed, Thomas Jr. of Norwalk and Sarah Pers of Stratford, both in Fairfield Co., m. Apr. 7, 1763, by Moses Mather, V. D. M.
- Reed, [                      ] s. of Moses and Lydia, still-born June 28, 1765.

Renalls, Prudence of Oblong and Stephen Benton of Sal., m.  
May 4, 1759, by J. Lee.

Robards, Phebe and Billey Fitch, both of Sal., m. Nov. 21, 1753,  
by J. Lee.

Robarts, Esther, d. of William and Abigail, b. Feb. 20, 1760.

Robarts, Mary, d. of William and Abigail, b. June 24, 1756.

Robarts, Rozel, s. of William and Abigail, b. July 10, 1758.

Robarts, William, s. of William and Abigail, b. Sept. 3, 1753.

\*Robbarts, Sarah and Josiah Stoddard, m. Nov. 7, 1743.

Roberts, William and Abigail Frink, both of Sal., m. Nov. 21,  
1752, by J. Lee.

Rockwell, Lucy, d. of Jonah and Lucy, b. Feb. 15, 1762.

Rockwell, Rosewell, s. of Jonah and Lucy, b. Apr. 23, 1763.

Rood, Abijah and Annah Northrup, both of Sal., m. Aug. 22,  
1763, by John Hutchinson, J. P.

NOTE. Name Rood is supplied from 1893 transcript. Now (1913)  
missing.

Rood, Allen Haze, s. of Abijah and Anna, b. June 4, 1767.

Rood, Azariah, s. of Azariah and Desire, b. Jan. 20, 1758.

Rood, David, s. of Azariah and Diseah, b. May 29, 1755.

Rood, Eli, s. of Abijah and Anna, b. Aug. 9, 1765.

Rood, Jeremiah, s. of Abijah and Anna, b. Feb. 11, 1764.

Rood, Mahittable and Bartholamew Barret, both of Sal., m.  
Mch. 6, 1755.

Rood, Olive, d. of Moses and Lydia, b. Feb. 27, 1764.

Rood, Silas, s. of Azariah and Desire, b. Sept. 9, 1759.

Rowlee, Cloe, d. of Simeon and Jane, b. in Kent, June 12, 1755.

Rowlee, Hiel, s. of Simeon and Jane, b. in Oblong, Mch. 29, 1757.

Russell, Elijah and Jamima Vanduser both of Sal., m. Dec. 17,  
1755, by J. Lee. Witnesses,—Ruluff Dutcher, Samuel Rus-  
sell and Lawrence Vanduser.

Russell, Mehitable, d. of Elijah and Jamima, b. May 15, 1756.

Russell, Rhoda, d. of Elijah and Jamima, b. Oct. 7, 1758.

## S

St John, Jamima of Sharon and Isaac Benton of Sal., m. Oct.  
30, 1755, by Cotton Mather Smith, Pastor.

Sardam, Elener, d. of Tunis and Jane, b. Apr. 4, 1763.

- Sardam, Jane, d. of Samuel and Jane, b. Aug. 8, 1762: d. Apr. 14, 1766, in her 4th year.
- Searl, Isaac, s. of Isaac and Hannah, b. Sept. 2, 1757.
- Searl, Isaac, s. of Isaac and Hannah, d. Apr. [ ], 1759.
- Searl, Isaac, s. of Isaac and Hannah, d. May 8, 1759.
- Searl, Jacob, s. of Isaac and Hannah, b. Feb. 15, 1759.
- Seaward, Hezekiah, s. of Asher and Lydia, b. Mch. 31, 1760.
- Selleck, Daniel, s. of Bethel and Ruth, b. May 15, 1758.
- Selleck, Kilbun, s. of Bethel and Ruth, b. Sept. 25, 1769.
- Selleck, Martha, d. of Bethel and Ruth, b. Dec. 13, 1755.
- Selleck, Milo, s. of Bethel and Ruth, b. in Sal., Apr. 1, 1776.
- Selleck, Molly, d. of Bethel and Ruth, b. Apr. 19, 1762.
- Selleck, Rebekah, d. of Bethel and Ruth, b. in Sal., June 28, 1772.
- Selleck, Ruth, d. of Bethel and Ruth, b. at Stanford, Nov. 10, 1753.
- Selleck, Samuel, s. of Bethel and Ruth, b. Aug. 24, 1767.
- Selleck, Sarah, d. of Bethel and Ruth, b. June 26, 1764.
- Selleck, Seymore, s. of Bethel and Ruth, b. Mch. 2, 1760.
- Seyward, Caleb, s. of Daniel and Martha, b. Feb. 12, 1760.
- Sheldon, Elisabeth, d. of Elisha and Sarah, b. Feb. 8, 1762.
- Sheldon, Mary, d. of Elisha and Sarah, b. July 4, 1763.
- Sheldon, Samuel Bellows, s. of Elisha and Sarah, b. Apr. 26, 1760.
- Sherman, James, s. of John Lee Sherman and wife Elisabeth, b. in Sal., Mch. 19, 1764.
- Sherman, John Lee and Elisabeth Waterous, both of Sal., m. Mch. 31, 1763, by John Hutchinson J. P.
- Sherman, John, s. of John Lee Sherman and wife Elisabeth, b. in Sal., Nov. 17, 1765.
- Sherman, Levi, s. of John Lee Sherman and wife Elisabeth, b. Dec. 18, 1767.
- Sikes, Hanna and Bille Munger, both of Sal., m. Apr. 15, 1752, by J. Lee.
- Sirdam, Abigail, d. of Peter and Elisabeth, b. July 1, 1756.
- Sirdam, Andrew and Margret White, both of Sal., m. Aug. 4, 1751, by J. Lee.
- Sirdam, Andros, s. of Peter and Elisabeth, b. July 10, 1758.
- Sirdam, Elener, d. of Peter and Elisabeth, b. Feb. 4, 1748/9.
- Sirdam, Elener, d. of Tunis and Jane, b. Apr. 4, 1763.

- Sirdam, Hannah, d. of Peter and Elisabeth, b. Jan. 25, 1750/51.  
Sirdam, Lowrance, s. of Peter and Elisabeth, b. Oct. 1, 1749.  
Sirdam, Margaret, the mother of Samuel Sirdam of Sal., d. Oct. 10, 1750, in her 79th year.  
Sirdam, Margrit, d. of Samuel and Jane, b. Dec. 16, 1757.  
Sirdam, Peter of Sal. and Elisabeth Younglove of Sheffield, m. Oct. 5, 1748, by Jonathan Hobbart, Pastor.  
Sirdam, Peter, s. of Tunis and Jane, b. Dec. 7, 1761.  
Sirdam, Samuel, s. of Peter and Elisabeth, b. Dec. 18, 1752.  
Sirdam, Samuel, s. of Samuel and Jane, b. Mch. 18, 1761.  
Sirdam, Tunis, s. of Peter and Elisabeth, b. Dec. 18, 1754.  
Sirdam, [            ], s. of Samuel and Jane, b. Jan. 26, 1749; d. in three weeks.  
Sirdam, [            ], d. of Samuel and Jane, b. Feb. 8, 1748; d. 17th of the same month.  
Sirdam, [            ], d. of Samuel and Jane, b. Oct. 10, 1755; d. Nov. 1, 1755.  
Skinner, Asenath, d. of Elijah and Mary, b. Jan. 19, 1764.  
Skinner, Chloe, d. of Samuel and Chloe, b. Dec. 4, 1760.  
Skinner, Elijah and Mary Joslen, both of Sal., m. Dec. 30, 1756, by Daniel Farrin, Pastor in Canaan.  
Skinner, Elijah, s. of Elijah and Mary, b. Mch. 24, 1758.  
Skinner, Mary, d. of Elijah and Mary, b. June 17, 1759.  
Skinner, Nathaniel Jr. of Sal., d. May 12, 1750.  
Skinner, Rebekah and More Bird, both of Sal., m. Nov. 9, 1752, by J. Lee.  
Skinner, Rebekah, d. of Elijah and Mary, b. May 11, 1762.  
Skinner, Samuel and Chloe Cole, both of Sal., m. Mch. 20, 1760, at Colchester, by John Waters, J. P.  
Skinner, Samuel, s. of Samuel and Chloe, b. June 28, 1762.  
Skinner, Sintha, d. of Samuel and Chloe, b. Apr. 13, 1765.  
Skinner, Solomon, s. of Elijah and Mary, b. Oct. 14, 1760.  
Smalley, Ama, d. of Benjamin Jr. and Martha, d. Jan. 1, 1754, in her 1st year.  
Smalley, Anah, d. of Benjamin and Martha, b. July 29, 1757.  
Smalley, Asa, s. of Benjamin and Martha, b. Oct. 6, 1754.  
Smalley, Ensign Benjamin, d. Aug. 30, 1754.  
    See Rebekah Porter.  
Smalley, Imri, s. of Benjamin and Martha, b. Sept. 16, 1761.



- Smalley, Zerah, s. of Benjamin and Martha, b. Mch. 19, 1759.
- Smith, Charity, d. of Gideon and Allen, b. Aug. 8, 1764; d. Aug. 18, 1764.
- \*Smith, Cyrenious, s. of Nathaniel and Kezia, b. Jan. 16, 1743/4.
- \*Smith, Elisabeth and Ephariam Cliver, both of Sal., m. June 12, 1745.
- Smith, Ezekiel, s. of Gideon and Allen, b. Aug. 14, 1766.
- Smith, Gideon, s. of Gideon and Allen, b. May 10, 1762.
- Smith, Grover, s. of Caleb and Rhoda, b. June 2, 1754.
- Smith, Judith, d. of Caleb and Rhode, b. Jan. 6, 1751/2.
- \*Smith, Newcomb, s. of Nathaniel and Kezia, b. Feb. 28, 1741/2.
- \*Smith, Priscilla, d. of Nathaniel and Kezia, b. Jan. 24, 1745/6.
- Smith, Rebeckah, d. of Caleb and Rhode, b. Feb. 17, 1749/50.
- Smith, Reubin, s. of Caleb and Rhode, b. Feb. 2, 1747/8.
- \*Smith, Rhoda, d. of Caleb and Rhoda, b. Sept. 28, 1743.
- Smith, Susanah, d. of Gideon and Allen, b. July 10, 1760.
- Spafford, Hannah, d. of Jacob and Rebekah, b. Feb. 16, 1765.
- Spafford, Job, s. of Jacob and Rebekah, b. Jan. 29, 1759.
- Spafford, Mary, d. of Jacob and Rebekah, b. Jan. 24, 1763.
- Spafford, Rebekah, d. of Jacob and Rebekah, b. Jan. 23, 1755.
- Spafford, Solomon, s. of Jacob and Rebekah, b. Sept. 21, 1756.
- Spafford, Temperance, d. of Jacob and Rebekah, b. May 1, 1761.
- Spencer, Abigail, d. of Philip and Abigail, b. May 8, 1752.
- Spencer, Ambrose, s. of Philip and Abigail, b. Dec. 13, 1765.
- Spencer, Deidamia, d. of Philip and Abigail, b. June 27, 1759.
- Spencer, Philip and Abigail Moer, both of Sal., m. Sept. 25, 1751, by J. Lee.
- Spencer, Philip, s. of Philip and Abigail, b. Sept. 26, 1763.
- Spencer, Tryphene, d. of Philip and Abigail, b. May 1, 1755.
- Spencer, Tryphene, d. of William of Sheffield, d. Sept. 21, 1754, in her 18th year.
- Sprague, Hannah, d. of John Jr. and Sarah, d. Mch. 25, 1753.
- Sprague, Hulda and Joseph Bird Jr., both of Sal., m. May 23, 1753, by J. Lee.
- Stanton, Elisabeth, d. of Joshua and Abigail, b. Aug. 6, 1766.
- Stanton, Mary, d. of Elijah and [ ], b. Apr. 8, 1755.
- Stannerd, Mary and Lennerd Owen, both of Sal., m. Apr. 28, 1757, by J. Lee.
- Stevens, Bulah, d. of Ebenezer and Lucy, b. Aug. 7, 1753.

- Stevens, Ebenezer, s. of Ebenezer and Lucy, b. June 29, 1755.  
Stevens, Fradrick, s. of Ebenezer and Lucy, b. July 6, 1757.  
Stevens, Rebekah of Killingworth and Heldrick Barrett of Sal.,  
m. Nov. 29, 1763, by John Hutchinson, J. P.  
Stevens, Thankfull, d. of Ebenezer and Lucy, b. Apr. 2, 1759.  
Stoddard, James, s. of Josiah and Sarah, b. Oct. 18, 1749.  
Stoddard, Josiah, s. of Josiah and Sarah, b. Dec. 2, 1747, at  
10 P. M.  
Stoddard, Derias, s. of Josiah and Sarah, b. May 17, 1754.  
\*Stoddard, Josiah and Sarah Robbarts, m. Nov. 7, 1743.  
\*Stoddard, Luther, s. of Josiah and Sarah, b. Mch. 31, 1746.  
\*Stoddard, Lydia, d. of Josiah and Sarah, b. Aug. 7, 1744.  
Stoddard, Mary, d. of Josiah and Sarah, b. Aug. 5, 1762.  
Stoddard, Olive, d. of Josiah and Sarah, b. Thirsday, Aug. 26,  
1756.  
Stoddard, Prudence, d. of Ensign Josiah and Sarah, b. Lord's  
Day, Oct. 15, 1758.  
Stoddard, Prudence, d. of Ensign Josiah, d. Nov. 23, 1758.  
Stoddard, Samuel, s. of Josiah and Sarah, b. Nov. 23, 1759.  
Stoddard, Sarah, d. of Josiah and Sarah, b. Feb. 14, 1752.  
Strong, Asa, s. of John and Agnis, b. Aug. 11, 1760.  
Strong, Deborah, d. of Elisha and Disea, b. Apr. 13, 1760.  
Strong, Deborah, and Bethuel Chittenden, both of Sal., m. Dec.  
16, 1762, by J. Lee.  
Strong, Disea, d. of Elisha and Disea, b. Mch. 22, 1754.  
Strong, Ephraim, s. of Elisha and Disea, b. Jan. 9, 1758.  
Strong, Isaac, s. of Elisha and Desiah, b. Jan. 28, 1765.  
Strong, Jared, s. of Enoch and Sarah, b. July 24, 1760.  
Strong, Lydia and Samuel Benten, both of Sal., m. Dec. 17, 1760,  
by James Landon, J. P.  
Strong, Lydia, wife of Noah, d. Dec. 23, 1757.  
Strong Mary, d. of John and Agnis, b. July 28, 1764.  
Strong, Noah, s. of Elisha and Disea, b. July 19, 1752.  
Strong, Olive, d. of Elisha and Desiah, b. Sept. 6, 1767.  
Strong, Reuben, s. of Elisha and Desiah, b. Nov. 2, 1762.  
Strong, Samuel, s. of John and Agnis, b. July 19, 1762.  
Strong, Sarah, d. of Enoch and Sarah, b. at Covintry, Jan. 27,  
1758.

- Strong, Simeon of Sal. and Mary Castel of Sheffield, m. Apr. 1, 1756, by J. Hubbard, Pastor.  
Swift, Lucy, d. of Jabez and Lucy, b. Oct. 26, 1765; d. Apr. 7, 1766.

## T

- Tattleton, Levwis (sic) d. Dec. 19, 1758, in his 19th year.  
Terry, John of Sal. d. Nov. 25, 1760, in his 35th year.  
Thare, Joseph, s. of Oliver and Mindwell, b. May 31, 1754.  
Thomson, Mrs. Sarah of Goshen and Mr. Joseph Hanchet of Sal., m. Sept. 28, 1759, by Stephen Heaton, Pastor.  
Thornton, Ezra, s. of Ezra and Ruth, b. Oct. 13, 1759.  
Thornton, John, s. of Ezra and Ruth, b. Sept. 6, 1761.  
Thornton, Michael, s. of Ezra and Ruth, b. Nov. 15, 1763.  
Tickner, Sarah and Jesse Bostw [     ], both of Sal., m. July 25, 1762, by J. Lee.  
Tiler, Sarah, d. of Ebenezer and Sarah, b. May 25, 1756.  
Toms, Stephen, s. of Robert and Sarah, b. Aug. 4, 1759.  
Torner, Abel, s. of Samuel and Mary, b. Aug. 22, 1756.  
Torner, Anne, d. of Samuel and Mary, b. Oct. 10, 1762.  
Torner, Miles, s. of Samuel and Mary, b. June 8, 1760.  
Torrance, Molly, d. of Robert and Lucy, b. Apr. 21, 1766.  
Torrance, Olive, d. of Robart and Lucy, b. Jan. 27, 1765, d. Aug. 4, 1767, in her 3rd year, "by a kick of a horse."  
Tousley, Abiah, d. of Samuel and Agnes, b. July 24, 1748.  
Tousley, Anne, d. of Samuel Jr. and Anne, b. Mch. 16, 1766.  
Tousley, Annis, d. of Samuel and Agnis, b. Mch. 5, 1760.  
Tousley, Ariel, s. of Samuel and Agnis, b. Mch. 25, 1762; d. June 4, 1762.  
Tousley, Ariel, s. of Samuel and Agnis, b. Aug. 30, 1764.  
Tousley, Clooe, d. of Matthew and Martha, b. May 22, 1752.  
Tousley, Elisabeth, d. of Matthew and Martha, b. May 6, 1760.  
Tousley, Hulda, d. of Matthew and Martha, b. Apr. 25, 1757.  
Tousley, Job, s. of Samuel and Agnis, b. Mch. 26, 1758.  
Tousley, Lot, s. of Samuel and Agnis, b. Mch. 5, 1756.  
Tousley, Martha, d. of Matthew and Martha, b. June 24, 1764.  
Tousley, Mary, d. of Mathew and Martha, b. Nov. 4, 1754.

- Tousley, Matthew and Martha Wright, both of Sal., m. Sept. 12, 1750, by J. Lee.
- Tousley, Reuben, s. of Mathew and Martha, b. May 15, 1767.
- \*Tousley, Sarah, d. of Sarah (sic), b. Mch. 30, 1746.
- Tousley, Silvanus, s. of Samuel and Agnes, b. July 17, 1752; d. Mch. 5, 1754.
- Tousley, Silvanus, s. of Samuel and Agnes, b. Apr. 16, 1754.
- Tousley, Victory Siks, s. of Samuel and Agnes, b. Nov. 14, 1751.
- \*Towsley, Samuel, s. of Samuel and Agnes, b. Dec. 25, 1744.
- Tozer, Hulde, d. of John and Mary, b. Jan. 3, 1750/51.
- Tozer, John and Mary Babcock, both of Sal., m. Sept. 16, 1750, by J. Lee.
- Tozer, Mary, d. of John and Mary, b. Sept. 23, 1752.
- Trumble, Eldad, s. of Ebenezer and Rachel, b. Nov. 3, 1751.
- Trumble, Eunice, d. of William and Mary, b. Nov. 26, 1762.
- Trumble, Jonathan, s. of William and Mary, b. Nov. 26, 1762.
- Trumble, Mary, d. of William and Mary, b. May 22, 1756.
- Trumble, Solomon, s. of William and Mary, b. Mch. 3, 1754.
- Tupper, Absalom, s. of Thomas and Ruth, b. July 11, 1759; d. May 3, 1760.
- Tupper, Absalom, s. of Thomas and Ruth, b. Apr. 22, 1761.
- Tupper, Archelaus, s. of Thomas and Ruth, b. Oct. 3, 1752.
- Tupper, Benjamin, s. of Thomas and Ruth, b. Feb. 27, 1749.
- Tupper, Charles, s. of Thomas and Ruth, b. Mch. 30, 1743.
- Tupper, Darias, s. of Thomas and Ruth, b. June 15, 1754.
- Tupper, Jehanner, d. of Thomas and Ruth, b. Mch. 19, 1756.
- Tupper, Jerusha, d. of Thomas and Ruth, b. Mch. 21, 1741.
- Tupper, Lydia, d. of Thomas and Ruth, b. Oct. 26, 1750; d. Nov. —, 1759.
- Tupper, Marcy, d. of Thomas and Ruth, b. Dec. 4, 1745.
- Tupper, Ruth, d. of Thomas and Ruth, b. Dec. 4, 1745.
- Tupper, Ruth Jr. (sic) and David Jacobs, both of Sal., m. Aug. 31, 1763, by J. Hutchinson, J. P.
- Tupper, Thomas, s. of Thomas and Ruth, b. Nov. 16, 1747.
- Tupper, Thomas, d. May 13, 1761.
- Tupper, Zuriel, s. of Thomas and Ruth, b. Mch. 21, 1758.
- Turner, Edward, s. of Samuel and Mary, b. Dec. 16, 1752.
- Turner, Roswell, s. of Reuben and Sarah, b. Mch. 17, 1766.
- Turner, Samuel, s. of Samuel and Mary, b. Jan. 18, 1749/50.

- Turner, William, d. Oct. 13, 1752, in his 95th year.  
 Tuttle, Chandler, s. of Thomas and Lydia, b. Sept. 19, 1763.  
 Tuttle, Jesse, s. of Thomas and Lydia, b. Aug. 24, 1759.  
 Tuttle, John, s. of Thomas and Lydia, b. July 5, 1766.  
 Tuttle, Lydia, d. of Thomas and Lydia, b. July 18, 1753.  
 Tuttle, Martha, d. of Thomas and Lydia, b. Dec. 6, 1761.  
 Tuttle, Solomon, s. of Thomas and Lydia, b. Sept. 3, 1757.  
 Tuttle, Thomas and Lydia Owen, both of Sal., m. Feb. 1, 1753.  
     by J. Lee.  
 Tuttle, Thomas, s. of Thomas and Lydia, b. May 5, 1755.  
 Tyler, Elisha, s. of Ebenezer and Sarah, b. Feb. 5, 1759.  
 Tyler, Joel, s. of Ebenezer and Sarah, b. July 28, 1762; d. Nov.  
     3, 1764.

## V

- Vallans, Elisabeth and Lowrence White, both of Sal., m. June  
     17, 1755, by James Landon, J. P.  
 \*Vandeusen, Abraham d. Apr. 16, 1746.  
 Vandusen, Abraham, s. of James and Katharen, b. Feb. 18, 1741.  
 Vandusen, Abraham, s. of Hartman and Margret, b. Jan. 16,  
     1741/2.  
 \*Vandusen, Abraham, s. of Hendrick and Nelche, b. Sept. 9,  
     1742.  
 \*Vandusen, Arconchee, d. of Hendrick and Nelche, b. Apr. 3,  
     1740.  
 Vandusen, Henry, s. of Lawrence and Content, b. Dec. 7, 1764.  
 \*Vandusen, Heretray, d. of Hendrick and Nelche, b. July 30,  
     1747.  
 Vandusen, John, s. of Hartman and Margret, b. May 15, 1740.  
 Vandusen, John, s. of Abraham and Sarah, b. Nov. 8, 1765.  
 Vandusen, Lawrence of Sal, and Content Williams of Great  
     Barinton, m. Aug. 26, 1762, by Jno. Hutchinson, J. P.  
     N. B. In 1913 record is Van [      ].  
 \*Vandusen, Lowrance, s. of Hendrick and Nelche, b. Nov. 15,  
     1738.  
 Vandusen, Molley, d. of Lawrence and Content, b. Nov. 11, 1762.  
 Vandusen, Olive and William Pew, both of Sal., m. Jan. 20,  
     1763, by Jno. Hutchinson, J. P.  
 Vandusen, Sarah, d. of James and Katharene, b. June 11, 1743.

- \*Vandusen, Yockamenche, d. of Hendrick and Nelche, b. Mch. 26, 1736.  
 Vandusen, Yonake, d. of Hartman and Margret, b. Apr. 28, 1748.  
 Vanduser, Jamima and Elijah Russell both of Sal., m. Dec. 17, 1755, by J. Lee. Witnesses,—Ruluff Dutcher, Samuel Russell and Lawrence Vanduser.  
 Vosburg, Derrick, s. of Jacob and Esther, b. July 11, 1747.  
 \*Vosburgh, Jacob, s. of Jacob and Esther, b. Feb. 15, 1744/5.

## W

- Warn, Francis, s. of Robart and Sarah, b. in Manor of Livingston, Jan. 29, 1746.  
 Warn, Samuel, s. of Robart and Catharine, b. Dec. 3, 1752.  
 Warn, Sarah, wife of Robart, d. Aug. 8, 1749.  
 Warn, Sarah, d. of Robart and Sarah, b. in Manor of Livingston, Jan. 29, 1746.  
 \*Warne, Jacob, s. of Robart and Sarah, b. Sept. 31, 1744.  
 \*Warne, John, s. of Robert and Sarah, b. Feb. 28, 1742.  
 Warne, Mary, d. of Robart and Sarah, b. July 28, 1749.  
 \*Warne, Richard, s. of Robert and Sarah, b. Nov. 22, 1740.  
 Warne, Robart of Sal. and Catharine Bennet of Abany Co., m. Dec. 30, 1751, by J. Lee.  
 Warne, Samuel, s. of Robart and Catha<sup>r</sup>, b. Nov. 3, 1752.  
 Warne, William, s. of Robard and Catharine, b. in Taughconick, Aug. 3, 1754.  
 Washburn, Mary, d. of Abisha and Hannah, b. Oct. 25, 1763.  
 Washburn, Olive, d. of Abisha and Hannah, b. Jan. 16, 1766.  
 Waterous, Dyer, s. of Joseph and Abigail, b. Nov. 5, 1762.  
 Waterous, Elisabeth and John Lee Sherman, both of Sal., m. Mch. 31, 1763, by John Hutchinson, J. P.  
 \*Welch, Elizabeth, d. of Samuel and Hannah, b. Sept. 2, 1739.  
 \*Welch, Samuel, s. of Samuel and Hannah, b. Dec. 31, 1743/4.  
 Weldin, Abigail, d. of Jesse and Ruth, b. in Glasenbury, Jan. 21, 1758.  
 Weldin, Abraham, s. of John and Elisabeth, b. July 5, 1757.  
 Weldin, Elijah, s. of John and Elisabeth, b. July 5, 1753.  
 \*Weldin, James, s. of John and Elisabeth, b. Apr. 7, 1745.  
 Weldin, Jerusha, d. of Jesse and Ruth, b. Aug. 11, 1760.

- Weldin, John, s. of John and Elisabeth, b. Feb. 15, 1749/50.  
Weldin, Lois, d. of Jesse and Ruth, b. Oct. 5, 1763.  
\*Weldin, Mary, d. of Anthony and Elizabeth, b. Feb. 13, 1743.  
Weldin, Meriam, d. of Jesse and Ruth, b. June 7, 1762.  
Welding, Elisabeth, d. of John and Elisabeth, b. Dec. 2, 1747.  
\*Welding, Hannah, d. of Anthony and Elizabeth, b. Sat., Mch. 7,  
1741.  
Welden, Isaac, s. of John and Elizabeth, b. Apr. 7, 1760.  
Welden, Loara, d. of Jesse and Ruth, b. Oct. 5, 1763.  
\*Welch, Samuel, s. of Samuel and Hannah, b. Jan. 26, 1747.  
West, Sarah, d. of Christopher and Amy, b. in New York Gov't,  
Dec. 29, 1752.  
West, Submit, d. of Christopher and Amy, b. in York Gov't, Apr.  
29, 1757.  
Wheeler, Mary, d. of John and Mary, b. Nov. 25, 1762.  
Wheeler, Tama, d. of John and Mary, b. Mch. 2, 1765.  
White, Aaron, s. of William and Elisabeth, b. Dec. 8, 1759; d.  
Dec. 16, 1759.  
White, Arconche, d. of William and Mary, b. Nov. 3, 1755.  
White, Benjamin, s. of Ruluff and Mary, b. Oct. 24, 1757, N. S.,  
d. Apr. 14, 1760.  
White, Catharen, d. of Isaac and Magdelen, b. Apr. 25, 1749.  
White, Catharene, d. of Peter and Goodith, b. Sept. 22, 1752.  
White, Catharene, wife of Benjamin, d. Oct. 18, 1750.  
White, Catherine, d. of Ruluff and Mary, b. Mch. 25, 1766.  
White, Christeen, d. of Ruluff and Moracha, b. Dec. 1, 1749.  
\*White, Cornelia, d. of Isaac and Magdalena, b. Oct. 24, 1742.  
White, Cornelia and Gideon Brownson, both of Sal., m. Apr.  
16, 1761, by J. Lee.  
White, David, s. of William (taylor) and Elisabeth, b. Nov. 11,  
1757.  
White, Elisabeth, d. of Isaac and Magdelene, b. Feb. 3, 1750/51.  
White, Elisabeth, d. of William and Elisabeth, b. Apr. 17, 1765;  
d. Jan. 20, 1766.  
White, George, s. of Lowrance and Elisabeth, b. Apr. 24, 1759.  
White, Goodeth and Phillip Coole, m. Aug. 31, 1748, by J. Lee.  
White, Hannah and Richard Bicknal, m. Apr. 16, 1761, by John  
Hutchinson, J. P.  
White, Hannah, d. of William and Elisabeth, b. Jan. 8, 1761.

- White, Hermon, s. of Isaac and Magdelen, b. Feb. 5, 1753.  
 \*White, Isaac, s. of Isaac and Magdalena, b. Dec. 4, 1746.  
 White, James, s. of William and Elisabeth, b. Dec. 29, 1755; d. June 19, 1757.  
 White, Jane, d. of Ruluff and Moracha, b. Aug. 27, 1752, O. S.  
 \*White, John, s. of Isaac and Magdalena, b. May 12, 1745.  
 White, Joshua, d. "the night after the 4th day of Nov." 1765, in his 68th year.  
 White, Joshua, s. of Ruluff and Moracha, b. Feb. 20, 1754, N. S.  
 \*White, Katheren and John Landon, m. Nov. 5, 1741.  
 White, Lowrence and Elisabeth Vallans, both of Sal., m. June 17, 1755, by James Landon, J. P.  
 White, Lowrance, s. of Ruluff and Mary, b. Aug. 11, 1759.  
 White, Margret and Andrew Sirdam, both of Sal., m. Aug. 4, 1751, by J. Lee.  
 White, Peter of Sal. and Goodeth Decker of Ulster Co., m. Nov. 3, 1749, by William Manches, Minister of Kingstown, in presence of Isaac White.  
 White, Phebe, d. of William (tailor) and Elisabeth, b. Dec. 11, 1766; d. Jan. 1, 1767.  
 White, Rhoda, d. of Lowrance and Elisabeth, b. Jan. 7, 1762.  
 White, Ruluff of Sal. and Morache Knickerbacker of Dutches Co., m. May 24, 1748, by Aaron Phetch, J. P. Witness,—Peter White.  
 White, Ruluff, s. of Ruluff and Mary, b. Mch. 20, 1762.  
 White, Samuel, s. of Lawrence and Elisabeth, b. July 13, 1756.  
 White, Sarah, d. of Ruluff and Mary, b. Oct. 22, 1755.  
 White, Solomon, s. of William and Elisabeth, b. Mch. 26, 1763.  
 White, William, d. Jan. 5, 1750/51, in his 85th year.  
 Whitney, Abigail of Canaan and Eliphalet Jewell of Sal., m. Sept. 20, 1757, by Daniel Farin.  
 Whitney, Christopher, s. of William and Arconche, b. Sept. 28, 1751.  
 Whitney, Cornelius, s. of William and Arconche, b. Dec. 31, 1753.  
 Whitney, Heretry, d. of William and Arconche, b. in Canaan, Aug. 4, 1748.  
 Whitney, Mary, d. of William and Arconche, b. Aug. 24, 1750, "who departed this life" [            ].



Whitney, William and Arconche Dutcher, both of Canaan, m.  
June 4, 1749, by Rev. Elisha Webster.

Williams, Abigail, d. of Benajah and Abigail, b. Mch. 16, 1761.

Williams, Benajah and Abigail Cook, m. Aug. 10, 1758, by  
William Willer (sic) Justice.

Record in 1913 is A [ ] Cook.

Williams, Content of Great Barinton and Lawrence Vandusen  
of Sal., m. Aug. 26, 1762, by Jno. Hutchinson, J. P.

See note under L. Vandusen.

Williams, Deborah and John Owen, m. Mch. 4, 1762, by J. Lee.

Williams, Electe, d. of Benajah and Abigail, b. Feb. 28, 1763.

Williams, Ephraim, s. of Benajah and Abigail, b. Dec. 11, 1766.

Williams, Eunice, d. of Benajah and Abigail, b. Mch. 16, 1765.

Williams, Hannah, d. of Joseph and Hannah, b. "in ye Nine  
Partners" Aug. 26, 1750.

Williams, Hiram, s. of Isaac and Elisabeth, b. June 14, 1757.

Williams, Isaac and Elisabeth Loomis, both of Sal., m. Mch. 12,  
1750, by J. Lee.

Williams, Isaac, s. of Isaac and Elisabeth, b. Feb. 6, 1753.

Williams, Isaiah, s. of Joseph and Hannah, b. Jan. 3, 1762.

Williams, Israel, s. of Joseph and Hannah, b. Sept. 19, 1757.

Williams, Jabin, s. of Joseph and Hannah, b. Nov. 12, 1753.

Williams, Joseph, s. of Joseph and Hannah, b. Apr. 8, 1752.

Williams, Martha, d. of Joseph and Hannah, b. "in ye Nine  
Partners" June 15, 1749.

Williams, Priscilla, d. of Joseph and Hannah, b. Sept. 27, 1759.

Williams, Solomon, s. of Isaac and Elisabeth, b. Dec. 7, 1750.

Winslow, Bethiah, d. of Nathaniel and Hannah, b. Dec. 31, 1759.

Winslow, Hanah, d. of Nathaniel and Hanah, b. Feb. 14, 1757.

Winslow, John, s. of Nathaniel and Hannah, b. May 4, 1767.

Winslow, Lemuel, s. of Nathanael and Hannah, b. Apr. 1, 1755.

Winslow, Lovina, d. of Nathaniel and Hannah, b. May 3, 1765.

Winslow, Marcy, d. of Nathaniel and Hannah, b. Mch. 16, 1763.

Winslow, Meriam, d. of Prince and Sarah, b. Mch. 25, 1764.

Winslow, Nathaniel of Sal. and Hannah Fitch of Covintry, m.  
at Coventry, Apr. 9, 1753, Witnesses,—Noah Porter and  
Rebekah Porter.

Winslow, Nathaniel, s. of Nathaniel and Hannah, b. Apr. 9, 1761.

Winslow, Prince of Sal. and Mary Goodrich of Sheffield, m.  
June 21, 1763, by Jonathan Hubbard, Pastor.

Woods, Hannah of New Milford and Nathan Dean of Sal., m.  
Jan. 1, 1751/2, by Paul Welch, J. P.

Woodwarth, Anna, d. of Ephraim and Anna, b. Mch. 30, 1755;  
d. Apr. 12, 1755.

Woodwarth, Dyre, s. of Abner and Hannah, b. Oct. 20, 1757.

Woodwarth, Ephraim of Sal. and Anna Moore of the Nine  
Partners, m. Aug. 15, 1754, by Samuel Hutchinson, J. P.  
Witnesses,—Jesse and Sarah Chatfield.

Woodwarth, Ephraim, s. of Ephraim and Anna, b. Mch. 2, 1756.

Woodwarth, Freelove and Jesse Chatfield, both of Sal., m. Oct.  
18, 1756, by J. Lee.

Woodwarth, Hannah, d. of Abner and Hannah, b. June 18, 1754.

Woodwarth, Jerusha, d. of Ephraim and Anna, b. Apr. 17, 1758.

Woodwarth, Joseph, s. of Abner and Hannah, b. Oct. 18, 1759.

Woodwarth, Sarah, d. of Abner and Hannah, b. Oct. 18, 1759.

Woodwarth, Solomon, s. of Caleb and Jane, b. May 4, 1748.

Woodworth, Abigail, d. of Cyrenius and Abigail, b. July 15,  
1762.

\*Woodworth, Amos, s. of Caleb and Jane, b. May 4, 1741.

\*Woodworth, Cyrenious, s. of Caleb and Jane, b. Nov. 15, 1736.

Woodworth, Cyrenius, s. of Cyrenius and Abigail, b. Sat., June  
28, 1766.

\*Woodworth, Delivrance, d. of Caleb and Jane, b. Oct. 23, 1745.

\*Woodworth, Ephraim, s. of Caleb and Jane, b. Sept. 22, 1732.

\*Woodworth, Freelove, d. of Caleb and Jane, b. Nov. 1, 1738.

Woodworth, Garshom and Rosanna Evarts, both of Sal., m. Nov.  
24, 1749.

\*Woodworth, Garshom, s. of Caleb and Jane, b. Sept. 16, 1728.

\*Woodworth, Jane, d. of Caleb and Jane, b. Sept. 20, 1730.

Woodworth, Samuel, s. of Cyrenius and Abigail, b. Aug. 20,  
1763.

\*Woodworth, Sarah, d. of Caleb and Jane, b. Aug. 2, 1743.

\*Woodworth, William, s. of Caleb and Jane, b. Jan. 4, 1735.

Wright, Martha and Matthew Tousley, both of Sal., m. Sept. 12,  
1750, by J. Lee.

Wright, Mary, d. of Benjamin and Joanna, b. Aug. 8, 1757.

## Y

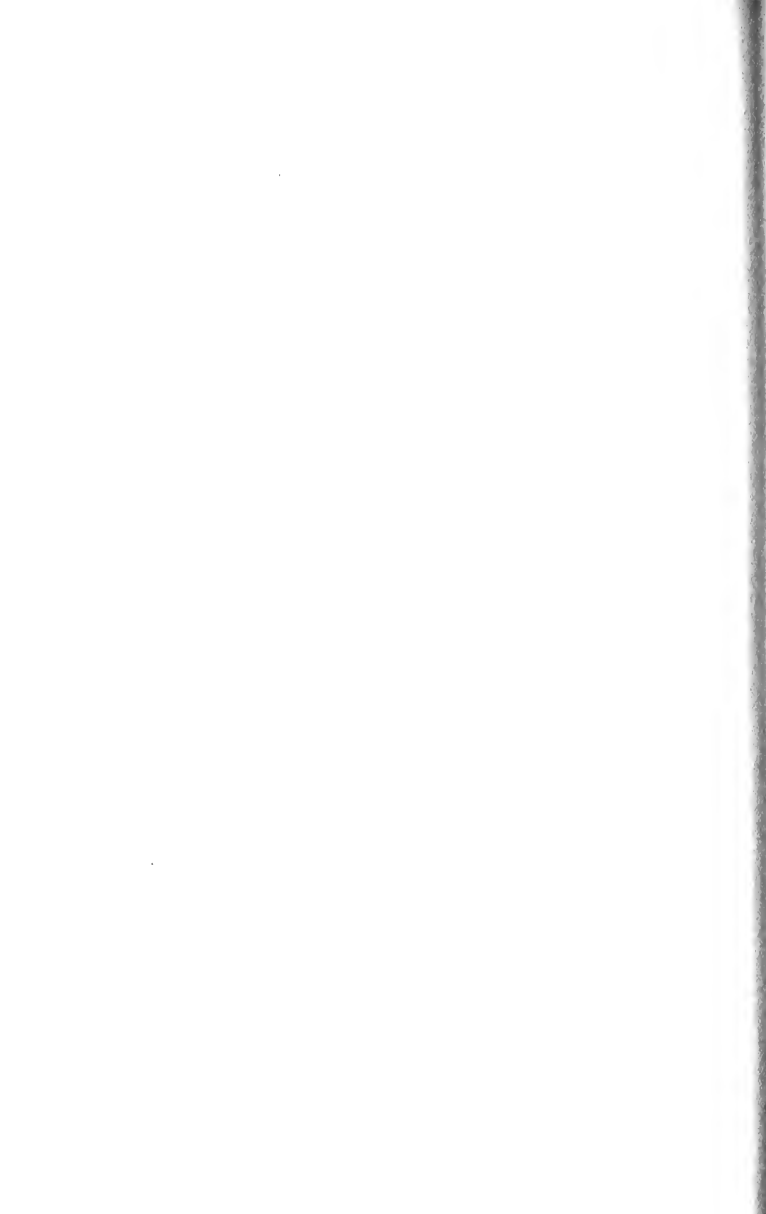
Younglove, Elisabeth of Sheffield and Peter Sirdam of Sal., m.  
Oct. 5, 1748, by Jonathan Hobbart, Pastor.

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## SUMMARY OF THE PRECEDING LIST.

Births recorded .....	1,048
Marriages recorded .....	100
Deaths recorded .....	150
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Total .....	1,298

NOTE. The next volume of Collections will probably contain Salisbury Vital Records, through the 2d Book of Town Meeting and Birth, Marriage and Death Records for the approximate period 1767-1790.



## CEMETERY RECORDS



## INTRODUCTION

The earliest burial-places of the settlers of Salisbury cannot now be identified. No monuments remain (or were ever erected probably) to preserve the memory of those who died here prior to 1750, and only forty inscriptions remain for the period 1750-1771.

The old church-yard behind the Town Hall at Salisbury Center is the earliest prescribed burial-place in town of which we have certain knowledge. The greater part of it was given to the town, on May 29, 1750, by Robert Walker of Stratford, one of the original proprietors of Salisbury. Crossman (see note, p. 132) asserts that the first person buried in this cemetery, or as he says, "by the meeting-house," was Jehiel Moore. A child of this name, who died June 15, 1750 (see Vital Records), is doubtless the one referred to, but no gravestone remains to corroborate the assertion. The monument standing in this yard and erected in memory of Dr. Wade Clark, states that he died Aug. 6, 1750, and this is the earliest death date appearing on any gravestone now found within the limits of the town.

The three hundred inscriptions found in this old Center cemetery, together with those prior to 1800 found at Lime Rock and a few others found in isolated places, were published in pamphlet form in 1898. As a considerable part of that edition is still on hand, it has been thought unnecessary to reprint the inscriptions in this compilation.

The object of the present issue is to put into print all the other gravestone records (688 inscriptions) of the town with the exception of those in the "New Cemetery" at Salisbury Center, and those at Lime Rock after 1800, which will appear in a future issue of the Collections.

Aside from the sentimental interest attaching to gravestone inscriptions, their historical value is very great, for several reasons. The first is that prior to, say 1845, our vital record system was so defective that many deaths were not recorded, and such omitted names and dates are frequently supplied by grave-

stones. A case in point is that of Dr. Wade Clark, and many others might be mentioned. Secondly, gravestones almost invariably state "age at death," and relationships as well, in the case of women and children—details which were frequently omitted from the manuscript record. Thirdly, gravestones often give further details as to titles, occupation, place and date of birth, manner of death, etc., which are not to be found elsewhere. Our ancient gravestones are also in a general sense indicative of the civic and social status of the persons commemorated, and of the esteem in which they were held, to a greater degree, perhaps, than modern monuments are. This because skilled stone-cutters were scarce, suitable kinds of stone difficult to procure and means of transportation most primitive. Consequently the expenditure of much time and labor on the part of relatives or friends was absolutely essential to the erection of such memorials. And finally, in spite of the apparent imperishability of stone, our climatic conditions cause comparatively rapid disintegration. Many early inscriptions have become illegible in so short a space as fifteen years, and some of much later date will soon be in the same case. It must be manifest therefore even to persons who instinctively regard "grave-yarding" as a melancholy and unnatural sort of avocation, that the preservation of this class of records is a matter of public service and benefit.

It may be that as this Association grows in membership and resources it can assume, to some extent, the care of several of our older cemeteries which need more attention than they are receiving now, and make of them places that are attractive rather than repellent. Town Hill Cemetery is an example of what the thought and effort of a few individuals can accomplish in the way of keeping beautiful a spot that is wholly beautiful by nature. By way of contrast, Dutcher's Bridge Cemetery, with less to commend it as to situation, is made still more unsightly by its generally neglected condition.

In this compilation it will be noted that surnames and baptismal names have been arranged alphabetically, by cemeteries. Formulae, and versification, curious or otherwise, not necessary to the sense, have been omitted, but every item of biographical value found is here noted.



As to the method of making these lists it is proper to say that complete transcripts of the Town Hill and Chapinville Cemeteries were made in 1898 and partial transcripts of Dutcher's Bridge yard in 1893, and of Mt. Riga yard in 1901. During the present year (1913) such transcripts as were partial, were completed, and card indexed, and all of them (except those covering several of the small isolated yards) were verified by comparison with the original inscriptions.

#### ABBREVIATIONS USED IN THIS LIST.

- s. before "of" = son.
- d. before "of" = daughter.
- d. before date = died.
- d. in statement of age = day or days.
- a. = aged.
- y. = year or years.
- m. = month or months.
- w. = week or weeks.
- [            ] = inscription illegible or missing.

## CHAPINVILLE CEMETERY

This cemetery is situated about three-fifths of a mile east of Chapinville church, at the intersection of the roads that lead to Twin Lakes and Cooper Hill respectively.

This yard is one-half acre in area and was deeded to the town by John Weldon on Jan. 5, 1789 (see Land Records, Vol. 8, p. 41). The consideration was forty shillings, and the purchase was made pursuant to a town vote, passed Dec. 1, 1788. At that time the dwelling house of William Bement stood near the enclosure.

This yard receives very little attention as to up-keep, but at the present time is in fairly good condition.

### A

Averill, John W., s. of Nathaniel and Polly, d. Jan. 22, 1804, a. 5 y.

### B

Barns, Widow Phebe, d. Sept. 9, 1808, a. 82 y. Formerly the widow Farnam.

Bartlett, Alvin, s. of Isaac and Hannah, d. June 16, 1816, a. 9 y. 8 m.

Bartlett, Dorcus, wife of Loring, d. Oct. 5, 1808, in 23d y.

Bartlett, Col. Loring d. Dec. 29, 1865, a. 79 y.

Bartlett, Phebe, wife of Loring, d. Apr. 5, 1858, a. 70 y.

Bartlett, Mrs. Sarah, wife of Mr. Sylvanus, d. Oct. 16, 1822, a. 71 y.

Bartlett, Sylvanus d. Feb. 1, 1829, a. 78 y.

Bement, Martha, wife of Mr. Samuel, d. Jan. 14, 1790, in 43rd y.

Bevins, Christina, wife of James, d. June 19, 1846, a. 72 y. (1)

Bevins, James I., d. Jan. 18, 1835, a. 56 y. (2)

Bevins, William, s. of James E. and Christina, d. May 17, 1837, a. 21 y. (3) [(1)-(3) incl. all on one small obelisk.]

Bingham. See Mrs. Bethiah Ticknor.

- Bingham, Mr. Daniel d. Feb. 1, 1805, a. 77 y.  
Bingham, Eunice, d. of Daniel and Mrs. Esther, d. Mch. 26,  
1790, a. 2 y.  
Bingham, Mrs. Hannah, wife of Mr. Daniel, d. Feb. 25, 1804,  
a. 77.  
Brown, Abigail P., wife of Daniel, d. Nov. 10, 1838, a. 24 y.

## C

- Camp, Abiel Esq., d. Apr. 10, 1796, in 72nd y.  
Camp, Mr. Joel d. Jan. 12, 1810, a. 77 y.  
Camp, Widow Mary, wife of Abiel Camp Esq., "decease," d. June  
3, 1798, in 69th y.  
Chapin, Abial Esq., d. Aug. 16, 1832, in 46th y.  
Chapin, Mr. Charles d. Jan. 21, 1813, in 61st y.  
Chapin, Harrieta S., wife of Abiel, and d. of Elisha and Alma  
Sterling, d. Nov. 10, 1824, a. 30 y.  
Chapin, Henry, s. of Phineas and Love, d. June 4, 1808, in 8th y.  
Chapin, Miss Love, d. of Mr. Phineas and Mrs. Love, d. Aug.  
10, 1793, in 9th y.  
Chapin, Phineas Esq., d. Feb. 12, 1816, a. 59 y.  
Chapin, Theodosia, wife of Charles, d. Jan. 30, 1814, in 62nd y.  
Church, Phebe, d. Mch. 12, 1820, a. 20 y.  
Church, Mr. Thomas, d. Mch. 2, 1803, in 33rd y.  
Coleman Mrs. Anna, wife of Mr. Mark, d. Dec. 11, 1817, a. 73 y.

## D

- Dauchey, Heman, s. of Jeremiah and Sarah, d. Oct. 16, 1832, a.  
39 y.  
Dauchey, Sarah wife of Jeremiah, d. Dec. 17, 1834, a. 66 y.  
Dauchy, (?) (Surname inferred from location only.) "Our  
Little Ada" d. Aug. 29, 1853, a. 19 m.  
Dauchy, Edwin d. Sept. 28, 1879, a. 79 y. (4)  
Dauchy, Emeline d. Oct. 3, 1876, a. 72 y. (5) (4)-(7) incl. on  
one stone.  
Dauchy, Frederick d. Oct. 10, 1877, a. 70 y. (Small stone marked  
F. D. has G. A. R. marker.) (6)  
Dauchy, Luther d. July 27, 1818, in 38th y.

Dauchy, Mary d. Oct. 20, 1856, a. 59 y. (7)

Dauchy, Sarah, d. of Jeremiah and Sarah, d. Dec. 4, 1855, a. 61 y.

Deperd, Laura, d. of Abraham and Sarah, d. May 22, 1822, a. 1 y.

## E

Everest, Amanda M. d. July 17, 1852, a. 54 y.

Everest, Sarah, wife of Jehiel, d. July 8, 1849, a. 84 y.

## F

Farnam. See widow Phebe Barns.

Fletcher, Capt. Ebenezer b. Jan. 8, 1734; d. June 20, in 71st y.

Fletcher, Mrs. Olive, relict of Capt. E., d. Apr. 25, 1811, in 71st y.

Folliott, Mr. James d. Apr. 5, 1808, a. 47 y.

Folliott, Mrs. Mary, wife of Mr. James, d. Dec. 22, 1804, in 37th y.

Frink, Andrew d. May 26, 1832, a. 72 y.

Frink, Charles E., s. of Edmund W. and Hannah T., d. July 10, 1852, a. 1 y. 7 m. (8)

Frink, David E., s. of Edmund W. and Hannah T., d. Aug. 28, 1843, a. 3 m. 15 d. (9) (8)-(10) incl. on one stone.

Frink, Edmund W. d. Aug. 26, 1870, a. 72 y. (11)

Frink, Elijah b. in Preston, Ct., July 20, 1766; d. in Salisbury, Ct., Sept. 5, 1854. (Small truncated obelisk by E. Marston, New London.)

Frink, Esther F., d. Sept. 18, 1843, in 47th y.

Frink, Esther, wife of Andrew, d. Oct. 26, 1859, a. 89 y.

Frink, Hannah E., d. of Edmund W. and Hannah T., d. Dec. 17, 1860, a. 19 y. (10)

Frink, Hannah T., wife of Edmund W., d. Feb. 7, 1876, a. 62 y. (12)

Frink, Lucy E., d. of Edmund W. and Hannah T., d. Sept. 28, 1864, a. 19 y. (13) (11)-(13) incl. on one stone.

Frink, Martha A., d. of Edmund and Hannah, d. July 28, 1837, a. 16 m. 14 d. (On stone with Mary E.)

Frink, Mary E., d. of Edmund and Hannah, d. Aug. 9, 1837, a. 3 y. 11 m. 20 d. (On stone with Martha A.)

Fullar, Ezekiel d. Mch. 26, 1824, in 81st y.

Fuller, Hannah, wife of Ezekiel, d. Aug. 20, 1830, a. 81 y.  
(Possibly age was 84 y.; figures indistinct.)

## G

Galusha, Mr. Jacob d. Feb. 13, 1792, in 71st y. (Fine stone—Z.  
Collins, Sculp., Shaftsbury.)

Germand, Julia H. d. Jan. 7, 1841, a. 7 y.

Germand, Morris A. d. Nov. 17, 1832, a. 8 y.

Gray [ ] infant d. of Kirtland W. and Sarah M., d.  
Apr. 1, 1853, a. 1 day.

Groat, Henry P., s. of Harry and Huldy, d. June 25, 1837, a.  
17 y.

Groat, Huldah M., d. of Harry and Huldy, d. Dec. 20, 1840, a.  
8 y.

## H

Hall, Zebdial R. J., s. of John and Deborah L., d. Mch. 13,  
[ ] 5 (probably 1825, but impossible to say positively)  
a. 1 y. 2 m. 8 d.

Harris, Edward d. Nov. 29, 1846, a. 36 y.

Harris, Elizabeth, d. of James and Love, d. a. 3 y. (no date).  
(14)

Harris, James d. Feb. 9, 1855, a. 50 y.

Harris, James, s. of James and Love, d. a. 2 y. (no date) (15)  
(14)-(16) incl. on one stone.

Harris, Joseph, s. of James and Love, d. a. 23 y. (no date). (16)

Harris, Sarah Jane, d. of William and Sarah, d. Jan. 3, 1832,  
a. 3 y. 3 d.

Holley, Philologus d. Oct. 9, 1863, a. 73 y. 1 m. 7 d.

Holley, Sarah A., wife of Philologus, d. Mch. 20, 1861, a. 67 y.

Hollister, Joseph, d. Aug. 21, 1848, a. 96 y.

Hollister, Patience, wife of Joseph, d. May 1, 1826, a. 71 y.

Hubbard, Capt. Prosper d. Dec. 20, 1810, in 65th y.

Hull, Heman d. Dec. 4, 1791, a. 23 y.

## J

Jewell. See Caroline Parks.

Jewell, Andrew d. Aug. 25, 1862, a. 74 y.

Jewell, Andrew S., s. of Andrew and Eliza, d. July 18, 1853, a.  
21 y.

Jewell, Eliza, d. of Andrew and Eliza, d. Apr. 11, 1826, a. 3 y.  
7 m.

Jewell, Mrs. Eliza, wife of Andrew, d. Dec. 10, 1834, in 38th y.

Jewell, Frederick, s. of Andrew and Eliza, d. June 30, 1852, a.  
22 y.

Jewell, Oliver d. Apr. 8, 1817, a. 78 y.

Judson, Foster D., s. of Robert F. and Ruth F., d. July 20, 1856,  
a. 8 w. (On stone with Ruth F.)

Judson, Ruth F., wife of Robert F., and d. of Philo and Maria  
Parks, d. June 29, 1856, a. 29 y.

## K

Kelsy, Abel, s. of Lucy Kelsey (next below), d. Dec. 29, 1824,  
a. 24 y.

Kelsey, Lucy d. July 15, 1830, a. 61 y. (On stone with "her son"  
Abel.)

Kemble, Widow Hannah, of Boston, who died on a visit to this  
town, Nov. 14, 1809, a. 72 y.

## L

Landon, Mrs. Abi, wife of Ezekiel, d. Aug. 24, 1794, in 28th y.

Loomis, Augustus, s. of Mr. Phineas and Lusy, d. Sept. 22, 1794,  
a. 15 m.

Loomis, Lucy, wife of Phinehas, d. Mch. 27, 1826, a. 65 y.

## M

Manvel, Emeline, d. of Daniel and Emeline, d. June 8, 1838, a.  
3 m. 9 d.

Mason, Cyrus Esq., d. Oct. 15, 1829, a. 38 y.

Mason, Elisheba, wife of Peter, d. May 11, 1833, a. 79 y.

Mason, Peter d. Dec. 28, 1831, a. 79 y.

Mason, Polly, d. of Peter and Elisheba, d. Aug. 2, 1806, a. 13 y.

Mason, Sylvester d. May 15, 1826, a. 37 y.

Munson, Marvin E., s. of Lyman and Comfort, d. July 31, 1819,  
in 4th y.

## N

Northrup, Abia, d. of Mr. Joseph and Mrs. Lucy, d. Aug. 9,  
1794, a. 3 w.

Northrup, Heman, s. of Mr. Joseph and Mrs. Mary, d. Apr. 5,  
1793, in 9th y.

Northrup, Mr. Joseph, d. Apr. 25, 1812, in 71st y.

Northrup, Lucy, wife of Mr. Joseph, d. Apr. 17, 1796, a. 28 y.

Northrup, Mrs. Mary, relict of Mr. Joseph, d. Mch. 23, 1823,  
in 80th y.

Northrup, Nancy M., d. of Stephen and Rhoda, d. Jan. 29, 1805,  
a. 1 y.

Northrup, Widow Olive, wife of Mr. Joseph, deceased, d. Sept.  
5, 1797, a. 71 y.

## P

Parks. See Ruth F. Judson.

Parks, Anna Maria, wife of Philo, d. Feb. 25, 1863, a. 72 y.

Parks, Caroline, wife of James William, and d. of Andrew and  
Eliza Jewell, d. Feb. 2, 1850, a. 23 y.

Parks, Elizabeth, d. of Philo and Maria, d. Feb. 26, 1835, a. 16 y.

Parks, Mr. James d. Apr. 14, 1810, a. 72 y.

Parks, Mary d. Nov. 21, 1835, a. 89 y.

Parks, Philo d. Apr. 18, 1858, a. 76 y.

Parks, William, s. of Mr. James and Mrs. Mary, d. May 22,  
1802, in 23rd y.

Peck, Anna, wife of Nathan, d. Jan. 6, 1825, a. 41 y.

## R

Ross, Mary Ann, wife of Charles, d. Dec. 22, 1850, a. 41 y.

Rowley, Sally, wife of Hiel, d. Jan. 6, 1818, in 34th y.

## S

- Scoville, Jane Charlotte, d. of Mr. Jonathan and Mrs. Sally, d. Oct. 28, 1807, in 2nd y.
- Scoville, Mr. Jonathan d. Feb. 8, 1824, a. 66 y.
- Scoville, Mrs. Sally, relict of Mr. Jonathan, d. Oct. 9, 1826, a. 60 y.
- Scoville, Mr. Samuel, s. of Mr. Jonathan and Mrs. Sally, d. Mch. 26, 1794, in 8th y.
- Shook, Abby, wife of James, d. July 29, 1855, a. 59 y. (On stone with Cornelia Williams.)
- Shook, James d. Mch. 20, 1858, a. 55 y.
- Shook, John H. d. Jan. 31, 1853, a. 27 y. (On stone with Walter P.)
- Shook, Walter P. d. Aug. 31, 1842, a. 9 y. (On stone with John H.)
- Sparks, Miles H., s. of Calvin and Eleanor, d. Dec. 9, 1841, a. 3 y.
- Sparks, Robert, s. of Calvin and Eleanor, d. Aug. 9, 1850, a. 7 y.
- Stanton, Col. Elijah d. Mch. 19, 1833, a. 84 y.
- Stanton, Mrs. Jamima, wife of Col. Elijah, d. Sept. 22, 1815, in 61st y.
- Stedman, Charles, s. of Julius and Hannah, d. Mch. 8, 1808, a. 1 y. "This stone was erected by Mark Coleman."
- Sterling. See Harrieta S. Chapin.
- Surdam, Mr. Tunis d. Jan. 17, 1811, a. 68 y.

## T

- Ticknor, Mrs. Bethiah, widow of Benajah, and d. of Daniel and Hannah Bingham, d. Nov. 19, 1836, a. 72 y.
- Turner, Francis, s. of William and Unice, d. Jan. 14, 1842, a. 16 y. 6 m.

## V

- Vosburgh, Catharine, wife of Jacob, d. Feb. 9, 1820, a. 63 y.
- Vosburgh, Eunice, wife of Laurance, d. Jan. 16, 1825, a. 51 y.
- Vosburgh, Isaac d. Feb. 8, 1827, in 39th y.
- Vosburgh, Mr. Jacob d. May 10, 1810, a. 65 y.
- Vosburgh, Mr. Richard d. Sept. 29, 1821, in (?)2nd y.



## W

- Washburn, Mrs. Mary, consort of Captain Abraham, d. Nov. 8, 1799, in 35th y.
- Welden, Abigail, wife of Milow, d. Sept. 6, 1831, a. 56 y. 1 m. 8 d.
- Welden, Milo d. Apr. 3, 1841, a. 55 y.
- Weldon, Sally, wife of Mr. Abraham, d. Aug. 12, 1802, in 38th y.
- Welldon, Mr. John d. Oct. 18, 1809, a. 97 y.
- Welldon, Mr. John Jr., d. May 12, 1810, a. 60 y.
- Wheeler, Charrity, wife of Samuel, d. Oct. 31, 1837, a. 37 y.
- Wheeler, Mrs. Dolly d. June 9, 1812, a. 76 y.
- White, Clarissa T., d. of Reuben and Clarissa, d. Mch. 13, 1820, in 3rd y.
- Whittlesey, Abigail, wife of John, d. Jan. 12, 1816, a. 46 y.
- Whittlesey, Caroline, d. of Eliphalet and Martha, d. Mch. 17, 1807, a. 1 y. 11 m. 24 d.
- Whittlesey, Eliphalet, s. of Eliphalet and Martha, d. Sept. 10, 1815, a. 5 m. 8 d.
- Whittlesey, George, b. Oct. 9, 1825; d. May 25, 1852.
- Whittlesey, John Esq., d. Mch. 22, 1812, a. 70 y. (S. A. R. marker).
- Whittlesey, John b. Jan 11, 1769; d. Oct. 6, 1842, a. 73 y.
- Whittlesey, John, s. of Eliphalet and Martha, d. May 9, 1815, a. 1 y. 9 m. 27 d.
- Whittlesey, John, s. of Eliphalet and Martha, d. Oct. 6, 1820, a. 2 y. 6 m. 21 d.
- Whittlesey, Mary, wife of John Esq., d. Sept. 30, 1802, in 58th y.
- Whittlesey, Mary A., d. of John and Abigail, b. Aug. 9, 1799; d. July 20, 1829.
- Whittlesey, Philander d. Oct. 2, 1835, a. 24 y.
- Wilber, Benj., d. Mch. 9, 1832, a. 47 y.
- Williams, Cornelia, d. of James and Abby Shook, d. July 22, 1856, a. 27 y. (On stone with Abby Shook.)

## DUTCHER'S BRIDGE CEMETERY

This cemetery is situated in Weatogue about a third of a mile northwest of Dutcher's Bridge. It was purchased by the town on Nov. 8, 1802, for a consideration of one dollar paid to Capt. Ruluff Dutcher of Canaan (see Land Records, Book 11, p. 93) and it is stated in the deed "that an ancient burying ground" was included in the purchase. The grantor stipulated that the plot should be fenced by the town and he reserved for himself and his heirs the right to pasture sheep and calves within it.

This cemetery is in a sadly neglected condition most of the time. A small amount of money expended upon grading and more frequent mowings would improve it greatly. Nearly all of the stones are clean and well preserved.

### B

Baghragh, Jane, wife of Hyman Jacob Baghragh, d. June 13, 1767, in 39th y.

Bement, Edward G., s. of William and Deborah, d. Aug. 5, 1793, a. 19 d.

NOTE. In 1910 a stone bearing this inscription:—[ ] Bement s. of William and Deborah d. July 1793, a. 17 d., was found flat under the sod in the back yard of the nearby Russell farm house. Ed.

### C

Calhoun, George d. Apr. 3, 1812, a. 68 y.

Calhoun, Judith, wife of George, d. June 8, 1837, a. 86 y.

Calhoun, Julia, d. of George and Judith, d. Apr. 3, 1812, a. 18 y.

Carter, Adoniram d. Nov. 21, 1813, in 35th y.

Carter, Anna, relict of Benoni, d. Apr. 26, 1814, in 64th y.

Carter, Benoni d. Apr. 11, 1812, in 68th y.

Collar, Hannah, relict of John, d. Oct. 6, 1831, a. 87 y.

Curtis, Hester M., d. of H. and L., d. May 11, 1843, a. 4 w.

## D

- Dibble, Byron d. Feb. 5, 1882, a. 47 y. (On stone with Dorcas and Lucy. See also Solomon Surdam.)
- Dibble, Dorcas d. Apr. 13, 1866, a. 33 y.
- Dibble, Lucy (no date).
- Dixson, Sarah, wife of Ephraim, d. Nov. 1, 1835, a. 62 y.
- Dutcher, Caroline E., wife of S. A. Dutcher (no date). (On W. P. Russell monument.)
- Dutcher, Chloe, wife of John A., d. Dec. 2, 1823, a. 43 y.
- Dutcher, Christopher drowned Dec. 25, 1802, in 35th y. Was found May 26, and buried May 27, 1803. Son of Ruluff and Jane.
- Dutcher, Mrs. Cristine, consort of Gabriel, d. June 23, 1818, in 69th y.
- Dutcher, Ellenor, d. of Rulef and Poley, d. June 6, 1788, a. 7. "Was granddaughter to Mr. Caleb and Mrs. Deborah Nichols."
- Dutcher, Frances M., d. of John A. and Chloe, d. Sept. 27, 1832, a. 22 y.
- Dutcher, Mr. Gabriel d. Oct. 22, 1820, a. 73 y.
- Dutcher, George Washington, s. of Capt. Ruluff, drowned Apr. 13, 1782, a. 7 y.
- Dutcher, Jane, d. of John A. and Chloe, d. Aug. 24, 1804, a. 4 m.
- Dutcher, John A. d. Apr. 5, 1830, in 58th y.
- Dutcher, John J., s. of Capt. John A. and Chloe, d. Sept. 12, 1818, a. 6 y.
- Dutcher, Mr. Lowrance, s. of Gabriel and Cristine, d. Apr. 24, 1815, in 38th y.
- Dutcher, Mary, d. of Gabriel and Cristine, d. June 6, 1818, in 48th y.
- Dutcher, Polly d. July 26, 1837, a. 70 y.
- Dutcher, Capt. Ruluff d. Nov. 15, 1803, in 65th y.
- Dutcher, Ruluff d. Dec. 1, 1809 in 59th y.
- Dutcher, Ruluff d. Aug. 21, 1851, a. 72 y. "He was one of the last survivors of the third generation of those born in this country, and lived and died on the heritage of his ancestors, who emigrated from Holland in 1720."

NOTE. Hardly "from Holland in 1720." The year named was date of settlement in Weatogue (Salisbury). The family had been resident in the Hudson valley for many years previous to 1720. Ed.

**E**

Eldred, Erastus d. Nov. 13, 1830, a. 39 y.

**H**

Hubbard, Mary R., wife of Milton, d. Mch. 18, 1859, a. 67 y. 6 m.  
Hubbard, Milton d. Dec. 9, 1866, a. 75 y. (On stone with Mary R.)

Hubbel [            ] [            ], twin sons of Ephraim and Anna,  
d. Mch. 1807.

Hubbell, Emeline, d. of Nehemiah and Sarah, d. Apr. 4, 1830, a.  
20 y. 1 m. 26 d.

**J**

Jacobs, Mary, d. of Samuel and Mary, d. Jan. 3, 1819, in 18th y.

Jacobs, Mrs. Mary, wife of Samuel, d. Apr. 1, 1826, a. 49 y.

Jacobs, Samuel d. June 26, 1857, a. 87 y.

Jewell, Mary Ann, wife of H. C. Jewell (no date). (On W. P. Russell monument.)

Joslen, Darius d. Apr. 9, 1812, in 60th y.

Joslen, Electa H., wife of Elias H., d. Dec. 5, 1869, a. 73 y.

Joslen, Elias H. d. Jan. 16, 1872, a. 83 y.

**K**

Kidder, Cynthia H., wife of Rev. D. P. Kidder, d. at Rio Janeiro,  
S. A., Apr. 16, 1840, a. 25 y. (On W. P. Russell monument.)

**M**

McMurdy, E. Marcella, wife of Rev. R. McMurdy, d. at Niles,  
Mich., Apr. 21, 1876, a. 61 y. (On W. P. Russell monument.)

Mallory, Eliakim d. June 6, 1856, a. 78 y.

Mallory, Esther, wife of Eliakim, d. Feb. 5, 1857, a. 78 y.

## N

- Nichols, Caleb B., s. of Daniel and Deborah, d. Aug. 16, 1818,  
a. 7 y.  
Nichols, Caleb d. July 29, 1827, in 90th y.  
Nichols, Daniel d. Mch. 4, 1826, a. 54 y.  
Nichols, Deborah, wife of Caleb, d. Oct. 5, 1819, a. 87 y. (Orig-  
inal stone replaced in 1880 by the present one.)  
Nichols, Mary E. d. Apr. 1, 1827, a. 27 y.

## P

- Pew, Ollive d. Oct. 24, 1805, in 64th y.  
Porter, Mrs. Jane d. Aug. 31, 1814, in 77th y.  
Priest, Maria L., wife of J. S. Priest, d. Apr. 21, 1849, a. 22 y.  
(On W. P. Russell monument.)

## R

- Russell, Catharine C., d. of John and Charity, d. May 19, 1846,  
a. 39 y.  
Russell, Charity, wife of John, d. Oct. 2, 1829, a. 60 y.  
Russell, Charity, d. of John and Charity, d. Dec. 13, 1834, a. 35 y.  
Russell, Eleanor, wife of William P., d. Feb. 9, 1856, a. 67 y.  
(On W. P. Russell monument.)  
Russell, Fatima, d. of John and Charity, d. Oct. 27, 1864, a. 69 y.  
Russell, Hiram, s. of John and Charity, d. Oct. 30, 1819, a. 26 y.  
Russell, John d. May 22, 1843, in 82nd y.  
Russell, Col. John d. July 28, 1873, a. 84 y. (On stone with  
Maria L. W. and Mary E.)  
Russell, John H. d. at Bridgeport, Ct., Apr. 11, 1871, a. 48 y.  
(On W. P. Russell monument.)  
Russell, Maria L. Webb, wife of Col. John, d. (no date).  
Russell, Mary E., d. of John and Maria L., d. Apr. 4, 1875, a.  
35 y.  
Russell, Robert W. d. at Troy, Ohio, Jan. 18, 1846, a. 20 y.  
(On W. P. Russell monument.)  
Russell, Solyman, M.D., d. May 22, 1828, a. 31 y.

Russell, Theodore S. (no date). (On W. P. Russell monument.)

Russell, William P. d. Apr. 20, 1865, a. 77 y.

NOTE. On family monument, as are his wife Eleanor and ten children, named elsewhere in this list.

Russell (?) Eliza J. wife of [ ] der R[ ].

NOTE. Stone broken and one part lost. Judge it to have been of the decade 1840-50. Footstone initials are E. J. R.

## S

Sardam, Caroline R. d. May 18, 1838, a. 20 y. 4 m.

Sardam, Henry d. June 1, 1825, a. 71 y.

Sardam, Henry d. May 10, 1872, a. 85 y. (On stone with Sarah P.)

Sardam, Hulda, wife of William, d. Mch. 30, 1846, a. 68 y.

Sardam, Louisa, wife of Solomon, d. May 11, 1845, a. 77 y.  
(On Dibble monument.)

Sardam, Miles T., s. of Alexander and Louisa P., d. Nov. 20, 1859, a. 2 y.

Sardam, Sarah P., wife of Henry, d. Nov 29, 1880, a. 85 y.

Sardam, Solomon d. June 28, 1825, a. 68 y. (On Dibble monument.)

Sardam, Sylvester d. June 7, 1835, a. 45 y.

Sardam, Sylvia, wife of Henry, d. Nov. 3, 1847, a. 80 y.

Sardam, Sylvia M., d. of Sylvester and Fanny, d. June 2, 1835, a. 18 y.

Sardam, Ward B., s. of Alexander and Louisa P., d. Oct. 9, 1864, a. 4 y. 6 m.

Sardam, William d. Feb. 7, 1854, a. 82 y.

NOTE. Stone has been mended, and date filled with cement, but my transcript of 1893 supplies it. Ed.

Smith, Betsey, wife of Col. Jesse, d. Dec. 2, 1840, a. 65 y.

Smith, Gideon d. Dec. 3, 1815, a. 72 y. (On stone with Mahetable.)

Smith, Col. Jesse d. Apr. 1, 1855, a. 84 y.

Smith, Mahetable d. Sept. 20, 1821, a. 76 y.

Snyder, Catherine, wife of Henry, d. Dec. 19, 1853, a. 59 y.  
Sparks, Lucy A. (no date). (On Dibble monument.)  
Surdam, Margaret d. 1776, a. 46 y.  
Surdam, Tunis d. Feb. 9, 1808, in 78th y.

**W**

Warner, Charity E., wife of L. E. W. Warner (no date). (On  
W. P. Russell monument.)  
White, Charlotte M., wife of H. W. White (no date). (On  
W. P. Russell monument.)  
Wood, Hannah d. Feb. 3, 1827, a. 79 y.  
Wood, John d. Apr. 4, 1829, a. 84 y.  
Wright, Eliphalet d. Apr. 5, 1823, a. 44 y.  
Wright, Silas d. Dec. 24, 1835, a. 60 y.

## MT. RIGA CEMETERY

This cemetery, consisting of a plot of one-quarter of an acre in extent, was purchased by the town April 26, 1817 (see Land Records, Vol. 14, p. 281) from Holley, Coffing & Pettee, for the sum of two dollars. The purchase was made pursuant to town vote of April 8, 1816, authorizing the selectmen to take conveyance of land for a burying place "near the Mt. Furnace." In the deed it is spoken of as being on Tocannick Mt. It is situated near the north end of the middle road, about one-eighth of a mile from its juncture with the west road, in what was formerly the hamlet of Mt. Riga.

This little plot is seldom visited and shows signs of neglect, except in that part of it which is occasionally used for interments.

### A

Ayres, James K. d. Dec. 18, 1848, a. 1 y. 8 m., s. of Whiting L. and Julia.

Ayres, Joseph W. d. Dec. 5, 1848, a. 5 y. 7 m.

### B

Ball, Ann E., d. of Erastus and Polly, d. Aug. 28, 1837, a. 2 y. 7 m. 7 d.

Ball, Betsey, d. of Silas H. and Samantha I., d. July 25, 1850, a. 1 y. 9 m.

Ball, George R., s. of Philo and Cornelia, d. Jan. 26, 1860, a. 12 y.

Ball, Georgiana d. Dec. 14, 1878, a. 15 y.

Ball, James W., s. of Erastus and Polly, d. Feb. 24, 1851, a. 1 y. 8 m.

Ball, Lydia, wife of Sylvester, b. July 2, 1791; d. June 2, 1871, a. 79 y. 11 m.

Ball, Rosetta E., d. of Hiram S. and Betsey M., d. Mch. 30, 1838, a. 6 w.



- Ball, Sylvester d. Oct. 16, 1825, a. 41 y.  
Ball, Sylvester R., s. of Erastus and Polly, d. July 21, 1837, a.  
16 m. 2 d.  
Belcher, Peter P. Sanford, s. of Henry and Amna (sic), d. May  
2, 1833, a. 7 m. 2 d.  
Belcher, William K., s. of Henry and Amna, d. Nov. 30, 1820, a.  
10 m.  
Bennet (?) Abigail d. May 18, 1837, a. [ ] and 13 d.  
Bennet (?) Eunice O., d. of John and Eunice, d. Jan. 20, 1837,  
a. 18 y. 1 m. 10 d.  
Bishop, Polly J., wife of Dean Bishop Jr., d. July 9, 1849, a.  
27 y.

## C

- Clinton (?) "Little Eddie" d. (no date) a. 3 w. (N. B. Stands  
next to stone to Ruthie Clinton and in line with Harry and  
Perry Clinton [?].)  
Clinton (?) Harry d. Aug. 29, 1880, a. 3 m. (sic)  
Clinton (?) Perry d. Sept. 9, 1880, a. 3 m. (sic)  
Clinton, Ruthie, d. of William and Waity C., d. (no date), a  
11 m.

## F

- Frink, George E., s. of George and Sarah A., d. Oct. 24, 1872,  
a. 6 y. 7 m. 8 d.  
Frink, Hattie d. (no date), a. 9 d.  
Frink, Tryphena, d. of George and Sarah A., d. July 4, 1872,  
a. 1 y. 2 m. 24 d.

## L

- Lemley, Charles E., s. of William and Eady, d. June 8, 1830, a.  
3 y. 4 m. 15 d.  
Lemley, Solomon d. Oct. 6, 1820, a. 68 y.

## M

- McLain, Mary, d. of Stephen and Mary, d. Sept. 22, 1838, a.  
8 y. 12 d.  
Merritt, Cornbury d. Jan. 16, 1827, a. 78 y.

Merritt, Daniel d. Aug. 25, 1850, a. 66 y.

Merritt, John A., b. Mch. 12, 1810; d. Feb. 9, 1890.

Merritt, Mary A., d. of Daniel and Mercy, d. Jan. 19, 1821, a. 4 y. (N. B. The t's in Merritt are not crossed, but this was probably an unintentional omission. Ed.)

More, Amos d. Feb. 23, 1830, a. 66 y

Moore, Nancy, d. of Isaac and Clarissa, d. Apr. 29, 1821, a. 16 m.

## O

Ostrander, Abram d. Jan. 14, 1867, a. 59 y.

Ostrander, Abram Jr. d. Aug. 19, 1852, a. 17 y.

Ostrander, Catharine, d. of James and Catharine, d. Nov. 18, 1863, a. 1 y.

Ostrander, Hannah, wife of James, d. July 8, 1903, a. 85 y. 4 m.

Ostrander, James d. Oct. 1, 1841, in 71st y.

Ostrander, James, May 12, 1817-Feb. 15, 1889.

Ostrander, James d. Nov. 24, 1862, a. 25 y. (G. A. R. marker.)

Ostrander, Peter d. Dec. 30, 1862, a. 26 y.

Ostrander, Robert F., s. of Abram and Susan, d. May 27, 1849. a. 5 y. 11 m.

Ostrander, Susan, wife of Abram d. (no date). (On stone with Abram.)

## P

Pettee, Joanna Everett, wife of Joseph, d. July 24, 1845, a. 68 y. (On Joseph Pettee's monument.)

Pettee, Joseph d. Mch. 5, 1838, a. 57 y. "Mr. and Mrs. Pettee were natives of Norfolk Co., Mass., and removed to this place soon after their marriage, which took place Oct. 20, 1806: and engaged in the iron business here; and where they both lived until their decease. Soon after the marriage of the deceased . . . they both became the subjects of divine grace, and since that period strove to live in the faith" etc. (Monument by A. Savage.)

Pettee, Lucy M., d. of Seneca and Lucy, d. Dec. 2, 1822, a. 1 y. 4 m.

Pettee, Mary, d. of Seneca and Lucy, d. June 27, 1819, a. 2 y. 9 m.

- Pettee, Mary, d. of Joseph and Joanna, d. Dec. 7, 1835, in 25th y.  
Pettee, Mrs. Polly, wife of Seneca, d. May 3, 1815, a. 24 y. (sic).  
Pettee, Polly, d. of Seneca and Lucy (sic), d. Mch. 12, 1815,  
a. 1 d.  
Petee, Stephen, s. of Joseph and Joanna, d. Dec. 8, 1814, a. 1  
y. 6 m.  
Petee, William K., s. of Seneca and Lucy, d. Apr. 13, 1820, a.  
6 m.  
Pratt, Daniel d. June 2, 1824, a. 68 y.

## R

- Rosseter, Samuel E. d. June 2, 1892, a. 77 y. 4 m. 2 d.  
Rosseter, Charlotte, wife of Stephen, d. Apr. 6, 1852, a. 27 y.  
Rosseter, Sherman d. Apr. 2, 1859, a. 76 y.  
Rossetter, Henry, s. of Samuel and Eliza, d. Feb. 1, 1852, a.  
2 y. 6 m.  
Rossetter, Olive M., d. of Samuel and Eliza, d. Feb. 3, 1849, a.  
4 y. 6 m. 16 d.  
Rossiter, Willie, s. of Reuben and Electa, d. Sept. 16, 1868, a.  
7 m. 14 d.

## S

- Sardam, Luther, s. of Hiram and Sally, d. Dec. 13, 1835, a.  
11 y. 1 m. 18 d.  
Sherwood, Jesse d. Mch. 7, 1867, a. 80 y.  
Sherwood, Sarah Wentworth, wife of Jesse, d. Mch. 14, 1849,  
a. 52 y. (On stone with Jesse Sherwood.)  
Surdam, Catie, d. of Luther and Catherine, d. Apr. 5, 1867, a.  
1 y. 10 m.  
Surdam, Hiram d. Jan. 13, 1871, a. 73 y.  
Surdam, Ira, d. Nov. 23, 1871, a. 39 y.  
Surdam, Sally, wife of Hiram, d. Sept. 11, 1870, a. 71 y. (On  
stone with Hiram Surdam.)

## T

- Taylor, Dannie d. Oct. 11, 1898, a. 2 y.  
Taylor, P. d. June 27, 1895, a. 13 y.

- Thornton, James D., s. of Elisha and Almiry Jr. (sic), d. July 24, 1830, a. 6 y. 9 m.  
Thorpe, Harvey, June 6, 1816-Sept. 8, 1893.  
Thorpe, Letty Maria Ball, wife of Harvey, Oct. 26, 1818-July 21, 1899. (On stone with Harvey Thorpe.)  
Thorrington, Daniel d. May 6, 1831, a. 25 y. 6 m. 28 d.  
Thurston, Mary I., wife of Freeman, d. May 17, 1893, a. 62 y. 2 m. 7 d.

## V

- Vosburgh, Lucretia, wife of Abraham, d. Nov. 7, 1842, a. 85 y. 6 m. 3 d.

## W

- Wentworth, Edward, s. of George L. and Jane M., d. Jan. 24, 1859, a. 11 m. 24 d.  
Wentworth, Elizabeth, d. of Hiram and Elvira, d. Aug. 4, 1843, a. 1 y. 9 m. 27 d.  
Wentworth, Elvira Mariana, d. of Hiram and Elvira, d. Oct. 2, 1832, a. 9 m.  
Wentworth, Ella J., d. of George L. and Jane M., d. Jan. 15, 1859, a. 5 y. 9 m.  
Wentworth, Ellen C., d. of Henry T. and Cynthia, d. Feb. 11, 1853, a. 4 m. 21 d.  
Wentworth, George, s. of George L. and Jane M., d. Jan. 23, 1859, a. 3 y. 9 m.  
Wentworth, Hannah J., d. of Samuel and Betsey, d. Aug. 13, 1830, a. 10 y. 5 m. 13 d.  
Wentworth, Henry d. Jan. 16, 1867, a. 53 y.  
Wentworth, Hiram d. May 14, 1841, a. 29 y. 1 m. 14 d.  
Wentworth, Maggie, d. of Harmon and Jane, d. July 7, 1866, a. 7 y. 4 m.  
Wentworth, Triphene O. Sherwood, wife of Henry, Apr. 20, 1816-May 31, 1901.  
Wentworth, Walter, s. of Hiram and Elvira, d. Mch. 26, 1833, a. 1 m. 26 d.  
Wentworth (?) (No surname on stone.) "Our Jany" d. Aug. 4, 1856, a. 11 y. 9 m.  
Woodworth, Charles P., s. of James and Helen, d. Aug. 20, 1826, a. 3 y. 7 m.

## TOWN HILL CEMETERY

This Cemetery is nearly as old as the one at the Center. A tradition existing in the Bissell family was recently repeated by Mr. Charles H. Bissell. It is to the effect that one Seth Cary, a carpenter, was killed by falling from a house which he was helping to erect for one of the early settlers of the Bissell name, and that he was buried on Town Hill in a place which, on the very day of his burial, became by town vote a public cemetery. This tradition is verified by Seth Cary's gravestone bearing the date of his death as April 11, 1757, and by the entry in Salisbury Town Meeting Records, under the same date, April 11, 1757, authorizing the setting off of "a part of the Market Place or Green on the Town Hill so called, for a burying Place, in the most convenient part of said Green."

This ground is adjacent to the property of The Hotchkiss School. Interments in it are infrequent and probably do not average one a year. Until recently little attention was given to its appearance, but several years ago, an expensive and substantial stone post and iron rail fence was placed around the yard by Mrs. H. M. Gillette, who also joined Mr. C. H. Bissell in having the enclosure graded, and the monuments put in as good condition as was possible. Since then a permanent up-keep fund has been raised, chiefly by the Bissell and Landon families, assisted by other persons interested, which will eventually yield a handsome annual income.

### A

- Adams, Mrs. Mary, wife of Mr. Thomas Adams, d. Aug. 8, 1788, in 43rd y.  
Armstrong, Frances Dickinson, wife of Thomas, b. May 10, 1825; d. Oct. 19, 1889.  
Armstrong, Frankie, s. of Edgar and Sarah, d. Oct. 16, 1873. a. 9 w.  
Armstrong, Gracie, d. of Edgar and Sarah, d. Sept. 28, 1881, a. 3 y. 18 d.

- Armstrong, Richard D., s. of Richard and Susan M., d. July 20, 1834, aged 2 y. 5 m.  
 Armstrong, Thomas, b. Sept. 29, 1824, at Darley Abbey, near Derby, England; d. Nov. 28, 1875 at Lakeville, Conn.

## B

- Ball, Mr. Robert d. Sept. 3, 1769, a. 41 y.  
 Bancroft, Hermon J. d. Jan. 12, 1813, a. 21 y.  
 Bard, George d. Nov 26, 1858, a. 37 y.  
 Bard, James d. Aug. 23, 1854, a. 75 y.  
 Bard, Olive d. Mch. 30, 1861, a. 74 y.  
 Bates, John d. Oct. 21, 1863, a. 24 y.  
 Bates, Mrs. See Mrs. Elizabeth Thomas.  
 Beard, Thompson d. Mch. 1, 1813, a. 21 y.  
 Bebee, Mrs. Hannah, wife of Mr. William, d. Apr. 3, 1802, a. 77 y.  
 Bebee, Mr. William, d. Dec. 23, 1801, a. 73 y.  
 Beebe, Mrs. Abigail, wife of Capt. David, d. May 25, 1780, in 52nd y.  
 Beebe, William, s. of William and Mary, d. Jan. 25, 1762, in 7th y.  
 Bemis, Samantha, wife of William P., d. Oct. 17, 1835, a. 25 y.  
 Bemis [ ] inf. d. of William P. and Samantha, d. Oct. 5, 1835.  
 Bennett, Mrs. Sarah, wife of Mr. Elijah, d. Aug. 27, 1781, in 23rd y.  
 Bigelow, Hiram L., s. of Samuel and Phebe, d. Aug. 26, 1827, a. 1 y. 11 m.  
 Bissell, Ann Eliza, wife of William, d. Apr. 19, 1841, a. 41 y.  
 Bissell, Ann Eliza, d. of William and Ann Eliza, d. June 17, 1840, a. 4 y. 1 m. 20 d.  
 Bissell, Ann Eliza, d. of William and Ann Eliza, d. Oct. 30, 1841, a. 6 m. and 20 d.  
 Bissell, Anna, d. of W. L. and E. S., d. Apr. 22, 1883, a. 13 m.  
 Bissell, Benjamin K., d. Nov. 1872, a. 82 y. A veteran of the War of 1812.  
 Bissell, Charles H. (no dates). (On family monument.)

- Bissell, Ellen S. Burr, wife of William L., 1842-1895. (On Bissell Family Monument.)
- Bissell, Esther, d. of Samuel and Mercy, d. Aug. 2, 1808, in 19th y.
- Bissell, Frank C., s. of Charles H. and Thankful A., d. Oct. 15, 1861, a. 7 m. 5 d.
- Bissell, George B., s. of Milton and Sally, d. Aug. 28, 1816, a. 1 y. 9 m.
- Bissell, Hannah, wife of Capt. John, d. June 10, 1823, in 59th y.
- Bissell, Capt. John d. Nov. 7, 1831, in 71st y.
- Bissell, John M., s. of Milton and Sally, d. Nov. 9, 1825, a. 16 y.
- Bissell, Laura d. Dec. 8, 1857, a. 71 y.
- Bissell, Mercy, relict of Capt. Samuel, d. Jan. 12, 1849, a. 88 y.
- Bissell, Mrs. Sally, wife of Mr. Milton, d. Nov. 5, 1812, in 30th y.
- Bissell, Capt. Samuel d. Aug. 5, 1818, a. 54 y.
- Bissell, Samuel B., d. Nov. 15, 1838, a. 27 y. (Epitaph intimates that his death was very sudden.)
- Bissell, Thankful A. Cleaveland, wife of Charles H., 1833-1892. (On Bissell Family Monument.)
- Bissell, William, d. Apr. 5, 1869, a. 75 y.
- Bissell, William L., (no dates). (On family monument.)
- Blodget, Anna, widow of David, d. Oct. 8, 1853, a. 82 y. 7 m. 4 d.
- Blodget, Betsey M., d. of John and Betsey, d. May 24, 1827, a. 2 y. 6 m.
- Blodget, Caroline E., wife of Samuel, d. Sept. 28, 1846, a. 41 y.
- Blodget, David d. Aug. 2, 1840, a. 73 y.
- Blodget, Nathan E., s. of John and Betsey, d. Dec. 21, 1834, a. 1 y. 3 m. 7 d.
- Blodget, Samantha A., d. of John and Betsey, d. Oct. 12, 1831, a. 3 y. 4 m. 2 d.
- Blodget, William H., s. of James and Emily, d. Oct. 10, 1841, a. [            ].
- Blodget, Wm. Walter, s. of James and Emily, d. Oct. 12, 1824, a. 1 y.
- Bosworth, Electy, d. of Hiram and Sally, d. July 25, 1834, a. 25 y.
- Bosworth, Hiram d. Apr. 19, 1822, a. 53 y. 7 m. 6 d.

- Bosworth, Mrs. Mary, wife of Mr. Nathaniel, d. Sept. 14, 1812,  
a. 64 y.  
Bosworth, Nathaniel d. Feb. 9, 1814, a. 70 y.  
Bosworth, Sally, relict of Hiram, d. Mch. 9, 1843, a. 70 y.  
Britton, Caleb d. Mch. 21, 1848, a. 74 y.  
Brown, Mary d. 1808 in 74th y.  
Buel, Maj. Jesse, d. May 27, 1818, in 71st y.  
Bulcroft, Mary Ann, d. of Henry and Mary, b. Oct. 16, 1842;  
d. Jan. 20, 1848.  
Bull, Mrs. Abigail, wife of Mr. Jonathan, d. Aug. 22, 1792, in  
43rd y.  
Bull. (See Mrs. Mabel Strong.)  
Bushnell, Anson d. Dec. 18, 1819, a. 24 y. (On same stone with  
Henry Bushnell.)  
Bushnell, Gideon d. Jan. 8, 1830, a. 72 y.  
Bushnell, Henry d. in Stanford, N. Y., Aug. 28, 1820, a. 29 y.  
(On same stone with Anson Bushnell.)  
Bushnell, Nancy, wife of Gideon, d. Dec. 5, 1842, a. 80 y.

### C

- Cary, Seth d. Apr. 11, 1757, a. [ ] 3 y.  
Ceasor, Alpheus d. Apr. 9, 1819, in 2nd y.  
Cesar, Clorinda S., d. of Nancy, d. June 20, 1823, a. 12 y.  
Cesar, Dinah d. Sept. 16, 1859, a. 82 y.  
Cesar, Margaret E., d. of Titus and Margaret, d. Nov. 8, 1832,  
a. 16 y. 7 m.  
Cesar, Margret, wife of Titus, d. Apr. 14, 1852, a. 67 y.  
Cesar, Smith W., s. of George and Eleanor, d. Mch. 26, 1856,  
a. 5 m. 8 d.  
Cesar, Titus d. Apr. 15, 1863, a. 82 y. 9 m.  
Chamberlain, Wm. H., s. of A. and J., d. May 9, 184[7?] (Stone  
broken and lower half lost.)  
Chambers, Ann K., wife of Thomas S., b. in Sheffield, England,  
Feb. 7, 1825; d. at Lakeville, Conn., Jan. 1, 1901.  
Chambers, John K., s. of Thomas and Ann, d. June 27, 1856, a.  
4 m.  
Chambers, Thomas S., b. in Leeds, Eng., Aug. 2, 1820; d. at  
Lakeville, Conn., Feb. 21, 1904.



- Chapman, Harry, s. of Reuben and Phebe, d. Jan. 18, 1831, in 33rd y.
- Chapman, Reuben, d. Feb. 11, 1846, a. 86 y. 4 d.
- Cleaveland, Anna M., d. of F. F., d. Apr. 9, 1862, a. 6 y. (4)
- Cleaveland, Bradford d. Apr. 24, 1849, a. 88 y. 7 m. 20 d.
- Cleaveland, Elisha, s. of F. F., a member of 11th Reg't. Conn. Vols., d. in Hospital at Annapolis, Md., Jan. 3, 1863, a. 18 y. (6) (N. B. Nos. (1)-(6) incl. all on one stone.)
- Cleaveland, Eunice, wife of Bradford, d. Apr. 21, 1849, a. 81 y. 6 m. 21 d.
- Cleaveland, Eunice, d. of Frederick F. and Mariah, d. Oct. 29, 1852, a. 3 y. 7 m. 25 d.
- Cleaveland, F. F., d. July 27, 1879, a. 66 y. (1)
- Cleaveland, John F., d. Feb. 7, 1882, a. 79 y.
- Cleaveland, Maria, wife of F. F., d. Apr. 5, 1862, a. 41 y. (2)
- Cleaveland, Mary, d. of F. F., d. Apr. 8, 1863, a. 17 y. (5)
- Cleaveland, Mary S., wife of John F., d. June 24, 1886, a. 81 y. 5 m.
- Cleaveland, Rhoda, d. of F. F., d. Mch. 28, 1862, a. 17 y. (3)
- Clement, Nancy d. July 21, 1852, a. 69 y.
- Cobb, Adelia, d. of Charles and Emily, d. Mch. 30, 1837, a. 5 m.
- Cobb, Ezra D., s. of Arial and Mary A., d. Aug. 24, 1837, a. 4 y. 8 d.
- Cole, Robert J., s. of Elmer and Mary, d. Aug. 22, 1854, a. 11 m.
- (R) Cotter, Mary R., wife of James P. Cotter and d. of H. S. and Mary R. Gay, b. July 24, 1827; d. Apr. 10, 1854. (See note on Elias Reed.)
- Cook, Henry d. Dec. 14, 1824, a. 59 y.
- Cook, George F., d. Oct. 22, 1841, a. 27 y.
- Cook, Richard, s. of Daniel and Lois, d. Oct. 11, 1776, in 4th y.
- Cowdry, Sally, wife of Esquire (sic) Cowdry, d. Aug. 6, 1838, a. 66 y. 11 m.
- Curtiss, Clarry, wife of Nathan, d. Jan. 21, 1812, a. 37 y.

## D

- Darrow, William, s. of George A. and Anna C., d. Oct. 7, 1838, a. 1 y. 10 d.
- Dean, Mr. Jesse, d. June —th (possibly 18th), 1790, in 24th y.

- Dewsnap, Henry b. Apr. 17, 1815; d. Feb. 24, 1866. (On stone with E. K. Dewsnap.)  
Dewsnap, Elizabeth Knowles, wife of Henry, b. Dec. 27, 1816; d. Oct. 21, 1887. (On stone with H. Dewsnap.)  
Dimick, Solomon d. June 29, 1797, a. 51 y.  
Dimmick, Mary, d. of Solomon and Elizabeth, d. Mch. 21, 1772, in 2nd y.  
Dimmock, Elizabeth, wife of Mr. Solomon, d. May 3, 1780, in 27th y.  
Doty, Abraham d. May 5, 1861, a. 63 y.  
Douglass, Maryett, d. of John and Lucy Ann, d. Dec. 26, 1834, a. 8 m. 26 d.  
Dunwell, George d. Jan. 23, 1836, a. 52 y. (Stone broken.)

## E

- Eldredge, Betssay (sic), d. of John and Lydia, d. Jan. 27, 1777, a. 1 y. 5 m.  
Eldredge, Sarah, d. of John and Lydia, d. Apr. 1, 1777, in 4th y.

## F

- Fitch, Harmon d. Mch. 1, 1813, in 19th y.  
Frisbie, Marilla Hubbard, widow of David, b. Oct. 13, 1801; d. Aug. 21, 1877.

## G

- (R) Gay, Henry S., b. Mch. 14, 1797; d. Jan. 9, 1879. (See note on Elias Reed.)  
(R) Gay, Mary Reed, wife of Henry S. Gay, 1795-1837.  
(R) Gay, Sophia Moore, wife of H. S. Gay, d. at W. Stockbridge, Feb. 26, 1877, a. 78 y.  
Graves, Mrs. Irena, wife of Mr. Hanes, d. May 11, 1787, a. 60 y.  
Grenell, Abel, s. of Jasper and Sarah, d. Feb. 22, 1793, a. 20 y.

## H

- Hall, Abel, b. Dec. 9, 1779; d. May 26, 1867.  
Hall, Augusta, wife of Abel, b. Nov. 1, 1782; d. June 30, 1867.

- Harrison, Alexander S., d. Feb. 5, 1907, a. 90 y.
- Harrison, Mrs. Asenath, wife of Capt. Jared, d. June 16, 1816,  
a. 66 y.
- Harrison, Caroline E., d. of A. S. and M. E., d. Mch. 21, 1848,  
a. 2 y. 8 m. (2)
- Harrison, Frances Harriet, d. of Jared S. and H. A., d. July 23,  
1847, a. 2 y. 11 m.
- Harrison, Frances H., infant d. of Jared S. and H. A., d. May  
15, 1839, a. 17 d.
- Harrison, Frederic W. d. Sept. 26, 1863, a. 26 y.
- Harrison, Mrs. Hannah L., consort of Jared S., d. June 10, 1824,  
a. 36 y.
- Harrison, Harriet A. d. July 31, 1880, a. 73 y.
- Harrison, Henry and Harriet, infant children of J. S. and H. A.  
(no date).
- Harrison, Capt. Jared, b. July 13, 1749; d. Sept. 22, 1842.
- Harrison, Col. Jared S. d. Apr. 27, 1864, a. 77 y.
- Harrison, Julia Chittenden, eldest d. of Jared S. and H. A., d.  
July 15, 1837, a. 9 y. 9 m.
- Harrison, Julia Chittenden, d. of Jared S. and [            ], d.  
Aug. 8, 1851, a. 12 y.
- Harrison, Marion B., d. of A. S. and M. E., d. Apr. 1, 1864, a.  
17 y. (1)
- Harrison, William B., s. of A. S. and M. E., d. Oct. 13, 1865, a.  
1 y. (3) (No's. (1)-(3) incl. are on one stone.)
- Harrison, William H., eldest s. of Jared S. and H. L., d. Mch.  
20, 1835, a. 22 y.
- Holden, Mrs. Abigail, wife of Mr. Samuel, d. July 26, 1812, in  
50th y.
- Holden, George A. d. Jan. 26, 1861, a. 56 y.
- Hotchkiss, Maria H. Bissell, wife of B. B. Hotchkiss, 1827-1901.  
(On Bissell family monument.)
- Hubbard, Anna, relict of Parley and mother of Hiram B.,  
Joseph A., John H. and Alexander, d. Aug. 4, 1851, a. 81 y.
- Hubbard, Edward H. b. June 10, 1810; d. Apr. 27, 1852.  
(Stone broken—a new stone bearing same dates, reads,—  
"Edward F.")
- Hubbard, Harriet, d. of Jesse and Ruth R., d. Apr. 1, 1844, a.  
52 y.

- Hubbard, Harry, s. of Parley and Anna, d. Aug. 12, 1799, in 3rd y. (On stone with Orrilla.)
- Hubbard, Jesse d. Apr. 21, 1827, a. 60 y.
- Hubbard, Lavinia, d. of Parley and Anna, d. Apr. 11, 1792, a. 3 y.
- Hubbard, Lavinia, d. Aug. 13, 1800, a. 6 y. (b)
- Hubbard, Mr. Luther d. July 25, 1786, a. 27 y.
- Hubbard, Orrilla, d. of Parley and Anna, d. Aug. 12, 1799, in 6th y. (On stone with Harry.)
- Hubbard, Capt. Parley, husband of Anna and father of Hiram B., Joseph A., John H. and Alexander, d. Mch. 4, 1850, a. 80 y.
- Hubbard, Ruth, wife of Jessee (sic), d. Mch. 28, 1852, a. 78 y.
- Hubbard, William, s. of Luther and Lavina, d. Dec. 9, 1787, a. 9 m.
- Hubbard, William d. Aug. 8, 1800, a. 2 y. (c). (a)-(c) on same stone.
- Hubbard, William N. d. Dec. 6, 1822, a. 19 y. (a)
- Hubbell, Charlotte Bissell, wife of Samuel, d. Nov. 24, 1859, a. 67 y.
- Hubbell, John B. d. Aug. 11, 1884, a. 66 y.
- Hubbell, Samuel d. June 11, 1872, a. 85 y.
- Hubbell, Washington L. d. Dec. 26, 1889, a. 65 y.

## J

- Janes, Eady L., wife of Hamilton B., d. Oct. 28, 1853, a. 35 y.
- Janes, Hambleton B. d. Apr. 22, 1860, a. 56 y.
- Johnson, James, s. of James and Ama, d. Feb. 27, 1790, a. 16 m.
- Johnston, Capt. Archabell d. Feb. 14, 1789, a. 57 y.
- Johnston, Capt. Daniel d. Apr. 1, 1834, a. 74 y.
- Johnston, Electa Maria, d. of Mr. John and Mrs. Mary, d. Apr. 23, 1788, a. 26 d.
- Johnston, Hermon d. Dec. 22, 1839, a. 50 y.
- Johnston, Polly, wife of Capt. Daniel, d. Jan. 22, 1824, a. 60 y.
- Johnston, Sarah, wife of Capt. Archabell, d. Apr. 1, 1810, a. 74 y.
- Judd, John B. d. Mch. 31, 1866, a. 73 y.
- Judd, Lewis d. Aug. 3, 1843, a. 34 y.
- Judd, Mary Ann, wife of Lewis, d. Nov. 19, 1838, a. 24 y.

## K

- Kelsey, Abigail, wife of Deacon Matthias Kelsey, d. Sept. 27, 1784, in 86th y.
- Kelsey (?) Matthias d. [ ] 1796, a. 91 y. (Stone badly scaled and surname missing, but stands next to Abigail Kelsey's stone and close to a black stone, initialed M. K.)
- Kellogg, Betsey, consort of James, d. May 4, 1814, in 27th y.
- Kent, Emma, d. of Henry and Jane, d. Sept. 27, 1848, a. 2 m.
- Keyes, Lydia, widow of Asa, d. Oct. 23, 1848, a. 63. "Our Mother."
- Keys, Caroline E., d. of Asa D. and Lydia, d. Sept. 5, 1835, a. 30 y.
- Kilmer, Angeline, wife of Charles, d. Apr. 5, 1837, a. 23 y. 1 m. 11 d.
- Kilmer, Catharine d. Sept. 20, 1877, a. 62 y. 10 m. 20 d.
- Kilmer, Martha L., d. of Charles and Mary Ann, d. May 23, 1842, a. 9 m. 11 d.
- Kilmer, Mary Poultney, wife of Peter, d. Feb. 13, 1879, a. 88 y. 9 m. 20 d.
- Kilmer, Peter d. Nov. 10, 1847, a. 62 y.
- Knickerbacker, John F., s. of Francis and Irena, d. Dec. 20, 1857, a. 5 y.
- Knickerbacker, Sarah Jane, d. of Francis and Irena, d. Oct. 1, 1841, a. 2 y. 4 m.
- K——: "Three infants of A. K."

## L

- Landon, Mrs. Azubah, wife of Mr. Ezekiel, d. Feb. 3, 1770, a. 34 y.
- Landon, James H., Mch. 14, 1836 (no date).
- Landon, Mrs. Mary, wife of Capt. James, d. Apr. 13, 1780, in 40th y.
- Landon, Mary E. Barton, wife of James H., Dec. 2, 1837-May 31, 1905. (On J. H. Landon monument.)
- Landon, Mary Raymond, Dec. 4, 1817-Apr. 1, 1898. (On Nelson Landon monument.)
- Landon, Nelson, Feb. 1, 1817-May 7, 1887. (On monument with Mary R.)

- Landon, Sylvia, wife of Edmund, d. Nov. 30, 1825, a. 34 y.  
 Also an infant dau. d. Jan. 29, 1826, a. 3 m.
- Landon (?) [            ] on d. [        ] 4, 1772, in her 5th y. (This stone split and scaled, stands next to stone to Azubah Landon.)
- Latison, David d. Nov. 24, 1839, a. 19 y. (Possibly this surname is Lattson.)
- Lomes, Hezekiah Jr. d. of small-pox, Nov. 22, 1760, in 33rd y.
- Lyons, David d. Nov. 16, 1816, a. 57 y.

## M

- McAllister, Archable d. Dec. 29, 1826, a. 37 y.
- McArthur, Charles J., s. of Peter and Mary, d. Sept. 2, 1848, a. 5 y. 4 m. (On stone with Darius M.)
- McArthur, Darius M., s. of Peter and Mary, d. Sept. 8, 1848, a. 1 y. 7 m. (On stone with Chas. J.)
- McArthur. See Olandine Reed.
- Martin, Sarah b. Sept. 15, 1840; d. Feb. 24, 1890.
- Martin, William d. July 5, 1902, a. 72 y.
- Marvin, Mrs. Mary, wife of Mr. John, d. Nov. 17, 1797, a. 63 y.
- Mason, Martha, wife of Samuel, d. Aug. 15, 1851, a. 28 y.  
 Born in Sheffield, England, Mch. 25, 1823.
- Mead, Eunice, wife of Silas, d. Sept. 23, 1831, a. 56 y.
- Merchant, James L., s. of Hiland and Lavinia, d. June 7, 1860, a. 9 y. 10 m. 8 d.
- Merchant, Myron, s. of John C. and Lucina, d. Dec. 14, 1844, a. 18 y. 3 m.
- Merchant, Walter B., s. of John C. and Lucina, d. June 20, 1838, a. 21 y.
- Merryfield, Charity, d. of John and Sally, d. Aug. 23, 1837, a. 1 y. 9 m. 16 d.
- Merryfield, Cyrus S., d. Aug. 31, 1853, a. 23 y.
- Merryfield, Edward A., s. of Michael and Elizabeth, d. July 18, 1842, a. 22 y. 5 m. 20 d.
- Merryfield, Elizabeth, d. of John and Sally, d. Aug. 17, 1837, a. 3 y. 8 m. 21 d.
- Merryfield, Mary Ann, wife of Robert, d. Mch. 8, 1842, a. 34 y.

- Merryfield, Robert, s. of Robert and Mary Ann, d. May 15, 1840,  
a 5 y. 1 m. 20 d.  
Methven, George, Co. B. 2nd Reg't H'v'y Art'y, C. V., d. 1870.  
Morse, Charles S., s. of John and Hannah, d. Apr. 19, 1849, a.  
2 y.  
Moshier, Mrs. Electa d. Apr. 17, 1859, a. 47 y.

## O

- Orr, Ella M., d. of James and H. L., d. Feb. 28, 1848, a. 8 m. 2 d.  
Owen, Almira, d. of James and Hannah, d. May 8, 1812, a. 27 y.  
Owen, Betsey, wife of Joel, d. Oct. 26, 1869, a. 78 y.  
Owen, Hannah (?), wife of Mr. David, d. July 7, 175(9?), in  
44th y.

NOTE. This reading was made in 1898. In 1908 it was illegible.

- Owen, Martha, d. of Peter and Electa, d. Aug. 7, 1836, a. 3 y.  
Owen, Mr. Joseph d. Sept. 9, 1758, a. 74 y.

## P

- Page, Cornelia, d. of Cyrus and Nancy, d. Mch. 6, 1813, a. 3 y.  
(On stone with Jane Page.)  
Page, Jane, wife of Erastus, d. Mch. 6, 1813, a. 24 y. (On  
stone with Cornelia Page.)  
Page, Letty Emeline, d. of Erastus and Jane, d. Mch. 9, 1813, in  
2nd y.  
Page, Louiza, d. of Cyrus and Nancy, d. Mch. 17, 1813, in 5th y.  
Page, Mary, wife of Josiah, d. Mch. 10, 1813, a. 52 y. (On  
stone with Letty E.)  
Parlin [ ]igail, d. of Amos and Abigail, d. Apr. 16, 1791, a.  
8 y.  
Pierson, (Mrs.) Jennie, Feb. 25, 1857-May 22, 1891. (On Nel-  
son Landon plot.)  
Powell, Hannah Maria, d. of Charles and Susan, d. June 21,  
1849, a. 1 y. 8 m.

## R

- (R) Reed, Abigail (Kilbourn, new monument reads), wife of Capt. Stephen Reed, d. at Salisbury, Dec. 29, 1841, a. 75. Formerly wife of Daniel Landon.
- Reed, Alanson, s. of Josiah M. and Diadama, d. July 14, 1846, a. 36 y.
- Reed, Amanda F., d. of Newton Jr. and Mary, d. June 22, 1878, a. 34 y. 9 m.
- Reed, Baldwin d. Oct. 22, 1846, a. 76 y.
- Reed, Betsey Mariah, d. of Josiah and Deidamia, d. July 20, 1812, a. 6 y.
- Reed, Caroline, wife of Frederic A., d. Oct. 5, 1880, a. 73 y. 9 m.
- Reed, Charles G. d. Jan. 17, 1853, a. 33 y.
- Reed, Charles J., s. of Charles G. and Mary J., of the 2nd Conn. Vol. Heavy Artillery, was killed at Cedar Creek, Va., Oct. 19, 1864, a. 19 y. 10 m.
- Reed, Deidamia, wife of Josiah M., d. Jan. 13, 1828, a. 47 y.
- (R) Reed, Electa, d. of Mr. Elias and Mrs. Ruth Reed, d. Nov. 2, 1780, a. 5 y.
- (R) Reed, Elias d. Sept. 6, 1791, in his 81st year.\*
- Reed, Elizabeth, wife of Josiah, d. Feb. 25, 1839, a. 86 y.
- Reed, Frederic A. b. Feb. 25, 1805; d. Aug. 2, 1893.
- Reed, George A., s. of Frederic and Caroline, d. Sept. 18, 1837, a. 1 y. 10 m. 23 d.
- Reed, Hannah, relict of Baldwin, d. Jan. 17, 1848, a. 78 y.
- Reed, Hannah, d. of Baldwin and Hannah, d. July 26, 1855, a. 57 y.
- Reed, Horace d. Feb. 14, 1830, a. 34 y.
- (R) Reed, Mr. Joel d. Dec. 14, 1793, in his 43rd y.
- Reed, Mr. John d. Aug. 4, 1786, in 86th y.

\* The seven Reed inscriptions above, three Gay, one Cotter and one Sheldon, appearing elsewhere in this list, all of which are preceded by a marginal (R), are properly included in this index, although the stones from which they were taken are not now standing. About 1898 they were taken up and piled in a lot near the Wells Hill Track, on the cross road from Horace Landon's to Wells' Farm House. In their stead a granite block was placed in the Cemetery, on which all the names and dates (years only) were placed. The data given here was taken from the original stones in 1898. M. D. R.



- Reed, John A. d. Aug. 8, 1874, a. 30 y.
- Reed, Mr. Josiah d. Nov. 30, 1815, a. 64 y.
- Reed, Josiah M. d. June 23, 1863, a. 87 y.
- Reed, Josiah M., only s. of Newton J. and Mary, d. Apr. 22, 1849, a. 9 y. (N. B. Stone is a small obelisk, resting on what appears to be a gravestone, laid flat.)
- Reed, Laura C., d. of Frederick A. and Caroline, d. Apr. 6, 1870, a. 27 y.
- Reed, Luther H. d. Feb. 16, 1830, a. 29 y.
- Reed, Lydia, d. of Josiah, d. June 1779, a. 6 y.
- (R) Reed, Mrs. Mary, wife of Elias, d. Feb. 9, 1787, in 65th y.
- Reed, Mary, d. of Baldwin and Hannah, d. Mch. 9, 1890, a. 96 y.
- Reed, Mary Jane Cleaveland, wife of Benjamin S., d. Nov. 19, 1885, a. 75 y. 9 m.
- Reed, Mary J., wife of Charles G., d. Nov. 28, 1870, a. 48 y.
- (R) Reed, Nathan, son of Elias and Mary, d. Nov. 2, 1764, in 8th y.
- Reed, Newton J., fifth s. of Josiah M., d. Feb. 3, 1860, a. 43 y. (N. B. The epitaph gives the additional information that an only son of the deceased is buried by his side, and that his (N. J. R.'s) wife and two daughters survive him.)
- Reed, Olandine, wife of Josiah M. Reed and widow of Charles McArthur, and mother of Peter, Caroline and Mary McArthur, d. Oct. 13, 1857, a. 70 y. A member of the Methodist church 52 years.
- Reed, Olive d. Feb. 19, 1830, a. 67 y.
- Reed, Olive F., d. of F. B. and Serena S., d. Feb. 20, 1863, a. 6 m. 18 d.
- Reed, Rebecca, d. of Mr. John, Jr., and Mrs. Sarah, d. May (?) —. (Stone is broken and badly scaled, but is of black slate, and inferentially of the Revolutionary period.)
- Reed, Rufus d. Aug. 10, 1837, a. 34 y.
- Reed, Mrs. Sarah, wife of Mr. John Jr., d. Jan. 20, 1783, a. 48 y.
- (R) Reed, Capt. Stephen, d. Nov. 22, 1812, a. 51.
- Reynolds, Mr. John d. Jan. 14, 1794, a. 49 y.
- Reynolds, Oledina, d. of John and Rachel, d. Feb. 1, 1794, a. 3 y.
- Reynolds, Walter, s. of John and Rachel, d. Feb. 27, 1791, a. 3 y.
- Roarback, Mary E., d. of James and Ruth, d. Sept. 22, 1855, a. 13 m.

- Rockefeller, Frances, d. of Jacob and Elvira, d. Jan. 27, 1842,  
a. 3 m.  
Rockefeller, George, s. of Jacob and Elvira, d. Feb. 21, 1843, a.  
2 m. 17 d.  
Rockefeller, Margaret, d. of Jacob and Elvira, d. May 12, 1844,  
a. 4 m.  
Ryant, Sally d. Aug. 13, 1866, a. 77 y.

## S

- Saunders, Frank H., June 8, 1859-Feb. 6, 1865. (On family monument only.)  
Saunders, Hannah Matilda, d. of William W. and Hannah R.,  
d. July 16, 1834, a. 1 m. 10 d. (Also on family monument.)  
Saunders, Hannah R. Foster, wife of William W., 1806-1888.  
(On family monument only.)  
Saunders, Harriet E., d. of William W. and Hannah R., d. Nov.  
25, 1865, a. 25 y. (Also on family monument.)  
Saunders, Henry d. Sept. 2, 1849, a. 51 y. (On stone with Olive.)  
Saunders, Matilda, d. of William W. and Hannah, d. Mch. 10,  
1831, a. 1 y. 8 m. (Also on family monument.)  
Saunders, Olive, wife of Henry, d. Aug. 28, 1849, a. 51 y. (On stone with Henry.)  
Saunders, Sarah S. Stanton, wife of Walter T., Aug. 15, 1834-  
(no date). (On family monument only.)  
Saunders, Mr. Thomas d. Jan. 19, 1791, a. 79 y.  
Saunders, Walter T., May 17, 1831-June 3, 1897. (On family monument only.)  
Saunders, William Henry, s. of Henry and Olive, d. Sept. 25,  
1824, a. 2 y.  
Saunders, William T. d. Sept. 23, 1830, a. 55 y.  
Saunders, William W., d. Feb. 27, 1856, a. 56 y. (Also on Saunders family monument which was erected after 1898.)  
(R) Sheldon, Mrs. Abigail, wife of Ezra Sheldon, d. Sept. 8,  
1815, in her 62nd y. (See note on Elias Reed.)  
Slover, Ernest H., June 17, 1879-Jan. 28, 1890.  
Slover, Jane, wife of Orville, d. Dec. 7, 1880, a. 33 y.  
Smith, Anna, wife of James, d. Jan. 28, 1864, a. 63 y.

Smith, Esther and infant, wife and son of Ezra Smith, d. Nov. 1, 1788, a. 20 y. (sic).

Smith, James d. Mch. 26, 1855, a. 57 y.

Smith, Jared d. Mch. 13, 1813, a. 71 y. 5 m.

Smith, Thaddeus d. June 16, 1804, a. 30 y. 9 m.

Smith, Thankful, wife of Thomas N., d. July 15, 1837, a. 74 y.

Smith, Thomas N. b. Sept. 10, 1768; d. Mch. 1, 1857, a. 88 y. 5 m. 20 d.

Snyder, Henriett, wife of William B., d. Sept. 8, 1851, a. 26 y.

Steevens, Mrs. Abigail, wife of Mr. Adin, d. Nov. 8, 1815, in 46th y.

Stoddard, Doctor Darius, d. July 12, 1790, in 37th y.

Stoddard, Capt. Josiah d. July 29, 1764, in 48th y.

Stoddard, Mrs. Mary, wife of Major Luther, d. Mch. 27, 1780, in 30th y.

Stone, David d. Dec. 14, 1831, a. 69 y.

Strong, Abigail, relict of Adonijah, d. Mch. 15, 1834, a. 84 y. (On Adonijah Strong monument.)

Strong, Adonijah Esq., Attorney-at-law, d. Feb. 12, 1813, in 70th y. (Table monument—only one in Town Hill yard.)

Strong, Harriet D., d. of Martin and Sally, d. Dec. 5, 1825, a. 15 y.

Strong, Josiah, s. of Mr. Adonijah and Mrs. Abigail, d. Jan. 9, 1772, a. 8 m.

Strong, Josiah Hale, s. of Adonijah, Esq., and Mrs. Mary, d. Mch. 12, 1775, a. 12 d.

Strong, Laura Clark, d. of Rev. Henry P. and Laura, d. Jan. 30, 1814, a. 1 y. 8 d.

Strong, Mrs. Lydia, 2nd wife of Mr. Noah, and mother of Adonijah, d. Dec. 21, 1757, a. 58 y.

Strong, Mrs. Mabel, mother of Mr. Jonathan Bull (who erected the stone), d. Jan. 21, 1789, in 93rd y.

Strong, Hon. Martin d. Feb. 28, 1838, a. 59 y.

Strong, Mrs. Mary, wife of Adonijah, Esq., d. Sept. 24, 1775, in 22nd y.

Strong, Mrs. Sally H., relict of Hon. Martin, d. Feb. 26, 1841, a. 60 y.

Surener, H. E., Co. E, 28th Conn. Infantry.

Swift, Lucy, d. of Mr. Jabez and Lucy, d. Apr. 7, 1766, a. 5 m.

## T

- Tanner, Diantha L. Colepaugh, wife of Morris, d. Mch. 30, 1898,  
a. 70 y. 4 m. 20 d.
- Tanner, James H., s. of Morris and Diantha, d. Mch. 3, 1861,  
a. 12 y. 3 m. 3 w. 4 d.
- Tanner, Lewis F., s. of Morris and Diantha L., d. Aug. 17, 1866,  
a. 11 y. 8 m. 7 d.
- Tanner, Martha J., d. of Morris and Diantha L., d. Sept. 3, 1866,  
a. 1 y. 16 d.
- Tanner, Morris d. Feb. 13, 1899, a. 71 y. 1 m. 25 d.
- Tanner, Willie W., s. of Morris and Diantha, d. Mch. 28, 1861,  
a. 6 m. 2 w. 1 d.
- Thomas, Mrs. Elizabeth (formerly Mrs. Bates) d. Jan. 11, 1793,  
in 79th y.
- Thomas, James d. May 22, 1818, a. 42 y.
- Thomas, James Nelson, s. of James and Phebe, d. Aug. 31, 1813,  
a. 2 y.
- Thomas, Jeremiah d. Aug. 2, 1810, a. 59 y.
- Thomas, Rhoda, d. of James and Phebe, d. Apr. 26, 1813, a. 9 y.
- Thompson, Love E. Hubbell, wife of Orlando B., d. June 26,  
1898, a. 70 y.
- Tomson, Elyzabeth d. Oct. 12, 1859, a. 57 y. (Stone stands  
with those of the Cesar family.)
- Tousley, Anne, wife of Victory Sikes, d. May 10, 1779, in  
23rd y.
- Tousley, Jonah, 2nd s. of Capt. Victory Sikes Towsley (sic) and  
Mrs. Dezire, d. Feb. 4, 1785, a. 5 m.
- Tousley, Mr. Samuel d. Jan. 30, 1771, a. 41 y.
- Tousley, Susan M., d. of Reuben and Mary, d. Nov. 9, 1819, in  
2nd y.
- Towsley, Jonah, son to Capt. Victory Sikes and Mrs. Dezire, d.  
Feb. 8, 1781, æ. 2 (sic).
- Truelove, George P., b. in Sheffield, England, d. in Lakeville,  
Conn., Sept. 13, 1870, a. 38 y.

## V

- Vandeusen, Electa, wife of James, d. Nov. 2, 1837, a. 26 y.

Vosburgh, Harry d. Nov. 8, 1853, a. 49 y. 3 m. 9 d.

Vosburgh, Sophia M., wife of Harry, d. Oct. 25, 1839, a. 31 y.

## W

- (a) Warner, Climena H., 2nd wife of H. D., b. Aug. 3, 1785;  
d. Sept. 22, 1883.

NOTE. (a)-(d) incl. on one monument.

- (b) Warner, Elizabeth Clark, wife of Hervey D., b. Sept. 4,  
1778; d. in Woodbury, Conn., June 2, 1821.

- (c) Warner, Hervey D. b. Aug. 1, 1769; d. Mch. 30, 1859.

- (d) Warner, John, s. of H. D., and E. C., d. in Louisville, Ky.,  
May 16, 1831. (Age not stated.)

Warner, Olive J., d. of Noadia and Adeline, d. June 26, 1842, a.  
4 y. 10 m.

Warner, William B., s. of William and Laura, d. Oct. 20, 1818,  
a. 4 y. 2 m.

West, Ann Eliza, d. of David and Harriet, d. July 22, 1846, a.  
18 y.

West, Harriet, wife of David, d. Mch. 17, 1845, a. 41 y.

Wheeler, Horace d. Feb. 14, 1826, a. 26 y.

Whitmore, Betsey d. Feb. 6, 1815, a. 39 y.

Whitmore, Mary E., d. of Myron and Eliz<sup>h</sup> (sic), d. Mch. 7,  
1823, a. 9 m.

Whitmore, Myron d. Apr. 18, 1823, a. 29 y.

Whitmore, Samuel d. Apr. 6, 1805, a. 64 y.

Wilcox, Mr. John d. Dec. 12, 1802, in 32nd y.

Wilkin, Elizabeth, wife of William, d. Nov. 21, 1873, a. 33 y.  
Also an infant son. (Stone lies face downward, and sur-  
rounded by a wooden fence.)

Williams, Mrs. Abigail, wife of Mr. Benajah, d. Oct. 29, 1789,  
a. 48 y.

Williams, Mr. Benajah d. Aug. 9, 1792, in 58th y.

Williams, Mrs. Deborah, wife of Capt. Benajah, d. Dec. 11,  
1759, a. 61 y.

Williams, Jane, d. of Peter and Jane, d. Dec. 17, 1825, a. 9 y.  
4 m.

Wolcott, Abiathar d. Sept. 18, 1851, a. 79 y.

- Wolcott, Abiathar R., s. of Abiathar and Mary, d. Sept. 15, 1816, in 16th y. (On stone with his brother (sic) Horace B.)
- Wolcott, Eben P., s. of William A. and Susan H., d. from disease contracted at the siege of Port Hudson, Aug. 28, 1863, a. 19 y. A member of 28th Reg't C. V.
- Wolcott, Horace B., d. May 11, 1816, a. 10 m. (On stone with his brother (sic) Abiathar R.)
- Wolcott, Mary, wife of Abiathar d. Nov. 30, 1846, a. 69 y.
- Wolcott, Samuel W., son of William A. and Susan H., b. Oct. 12, 1842; killed at Deep Bottom, Va., Aug. 16, 1864.
- Wolcott, Susan H., wife of William A., b. Mch. 28, 1812. (No death date.) (On stone with Wm. A. and Samuel W.)
- Wolcott, William A., b. Sept. 10, 1810; d. Nov. 27, 1879. (On stone with Susan H. and Samuel W.)
- Wolcott, William H., s. of Wm. A. and Susan H., d. Feb. 18, 1848, a. 6 y. (On stone with infant son of Wm. A.)
- Wolcott [            ], infant s. of William A. and Susan H., d. June 21, 1846, a. 2 m.
- Woodworth, Abigail, wife of Cyrenius, d. Dec. 22, 1813, a. 73 y.
- Woodworth, Mr. Cyrenius, s. of Caleb and Jane, d. June 15, 1815, a. 78 y.
- Woodworth, Josiah d. Apr. 21, 1847, a. 78 y.
- Woodworth, Mercy, wife of Josiah, d. Feb., 23, 1866, a. 90 y. ("Late wife of N. Stone.")
- Woodworth, Sarah C., d. of Henry and Sally Ann, d. Mch. 2, 1845, a. 10 m. 17 d.

## FIVE ISOLATED CEMETERIES

The following forty-five inscriptions were collected from five isolated cemeteries and are arranged alphabetically for the sake of convenient reference.

### KEY.

All inscriptions preceded by (1) were taken, in 1912, from stones standing near the residence of the late Edward Ward. They occupy, in common with what appear to be a considerable number of unmarked graves, a sort of wooded island in the midst of cultivated land, which is situated about midway between the Housatonic River and the highway leading from the Ward place to Amesville.

All inscriptions preceded by (2) were taken, in 1898, from stones standing near the present residence of Horace Landon (formerly that of the Walton family) on Town Hill, on the south side of the road leading from The Hotchkiss School to Lime Rock.

The two inscriptions preceded by (3) were taken, in 1898, from stones standing in an apple orchard a few rods southeast of the present residence of Horace Landon, and on the north side of the road to Lime Rock.

All inscriptions preceded by (4) were taken, in 1898, from stones standing in a secluded spot not over one-half mile west of the present residence of J. William Greenwood. This yard is in Massachusetts a short distance north of the Massachusetts-Connecticut state line.

All inscriptions preceded by (5) were taken, in 1898, from stones standing in a small yard a few rods east of the Under Mountain Road, about a quarter of a mile north of Sage's Ravine highway bridge. This yard is also in Massachusetts, and almost directly across the valley from No. 4, next above.

In Nos. 1, 4 and 5 above, there are a number of unmarked graves.

- (4) Arnold, Jonathan d. May 14, 1837, a. 45 y.
- (4) Barlow, Smith H. d. May 7, 1847, a. 44 y.
- (1) Bellowes, Mrs. Elizabeth, relict of Capt. Samuel, d. Aug. 24, 1786, a. 83 y.
- (5) Benton, Mr. David d. Aug. 6, 1797, in 63rd y.
- (4) Bryant, Calvin d. Jan. 5, 1830, a. 55 y.
- (4) Bryant, Mr. Ezekiel d. Jan. 9, 1830, a. 57 y.
- (4) Bryant, Lucy d. Dec. 10, 1816, a. 32 y.
- (4) Bryant, Mary, wife of Calvin, d. July 18, 1812, a. 32 y.
- (4) Bryant, Mrs. Rebecca, wife of Mr. Calvin, d. Dec. 18, 1801, a. 27 y. 9 m.
- (4) Bryant, Socrates d. Jan. 7 (possibly 17th), 1864, a. 65 y.
- (5) Cande, Hannah, wife of Zaccheus, d. May 7, 1820, in 42nd y.
- (5) Cande, Isaac d. Aug. 22, 1812, in 33rd y.
- (5) Cande, Zaccheus d. Aug. 14, 1838, in 76th y.
- (5) Chapin, Mr. David d. May 22, 1812, a. 31 y.
- (3) Chapman, Mr. Reuben d. Jan. 20, 1799, in 66th y.
- (3) Chapman, Reuben, s. of John and Polly, d. Nov. 22, 1792, in 4th y. "The first bury'd here."
- (4) Curtiss, Mrs. Esther, grandmother of Mr. John Ward, d. Dec. 28, 1827, in 97th y.
- (1) Evarts, Charity, wife of Daniel, d. Feb. 11, 1769, a. 21 y.
- (4) Fellows, Mrs. Jerusha, relict of Capt. John, d. Nov. 26, 1786, in 80th y.
- (4) Fellows, Capt. John d. Sept. 10, 1757, in 56th y. (This is on a stone of later period. The original stone, defaced and broken, reads:—d. Sept. 9, 1757, in 55th y.)
- (4) Foley, Mary, wife of Patrick, d. July 25, 1844, a. 24 y. Also an infant a. 3 w.
- (5) Hauver, Jacob d. July 1, 1865, a. 70 y.
- (4) Knickerbacker, Albert G., s. of Solomon and Claricy, d. Feb. 1, 1838, a. 2 y.
- (1) Landon, Mrs. Catharine, wife of Mr. John, d. July 24, 1781, a. 59 y.
- (5) Munn, Jonathan Dunham, s. of Julius and Mercy, d. June 13, 1776, in 2nd y.
- (1) Pew, Lieut. William, "who was killed by a leap of a horse from a bridge," Oct. 24, 1785, a. 53 y.



- (5) Sage, Mary, wife of Simeon, d. May 14, 1819, a. 45 y.
- (5) Sage, Simeon d. Dec. 12, 1840, a. 81 y. (S. A. R. marker).
- (1) Smith, Mr. Jacob d. Mch. 12, 1795, a. 48 y. (Another stone to the same, says in 48th y.)
- (4) Tripp, William Henry, s. of Daniel and Damaris, d. June 23, 1842, a. 3 y. 3 m.
- (1) Vandeusen, Mr. Henderick d. Apl. 27, 1781, in 74th y.
- (3) Walton, Mrs. Elizabeth, wife of Doct. William, d. Mch. 8, 1783, in 46th y.
- (2) Walton, Mrs. Mary, wife of Doct. William, d. Apr. 22, 1824, a. 62 y.
- (3) Walton, Miss Polly, d. of Doctor William, d. Jan. 23, 1784, in [ ]4th y. (Possibly 4th y. is correct; inscription indistinct.)
- (2) Walton, Doctor William d. Apr. 14, 1787, in 52nd y.
- (3) Walton, Doct. William d. May 14, 1819, a. 59 y.
- (4) Ward, see Mrs. Esther Curtiss.
- (4) Ward, Edward, s. of John and Lucretia, d. Mch. 20, 1843, a. 17 y.
- (4) Ward, Esther d. at Brooklyn, N. Y., Mch. 4, 1854, a. 40 y.
- (4) Ward, John, b. at Stratford, Ct., Jan. 21, 1778; d. Sept. 9, 1852, a. 75 y.
- (4) Ward, Lucretia Rogers, wife of John, b. in Cornwall, Ct., Mch. 17, 1785; d. Jan. 6, 1876, a. 91 y.
- (4) Ward, Martha, d. of John and Lucretia, d. Mch. 28, 1841, a. 20 y.
- (4) Ward, Mary, d. of John and Lucretia, d. Dec. 5, 1842, a. 22 y.
- (1) White, Ruth, wife of William, d. Mch. 23, 1809, a. 70 y.
- (1) White, William d. Apl. 26, 1810, in 81st y.
- (1) Whiting, Mary, wife of Joseph, d. Jan. 21, 1785, a. 21 y. (Sixteen line epitaph.)



## PART II

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# A BRIEF MILITARY HISTORY OF SALISBURY, CONNECTICUT

AN ADDRESS, DELIVERED BY MALCOLM D. RUDD, AT  
THE TOWN HALL, SALISBURY, MAY 30, 1911

#### NOTE.

A roll of Salisbury men in service in the French and Indian War, Revolutionary War, War of 1812, and Mexican War, giving all particulars of service, so far as obtainable, is in course of preparation, and will appear in some later issue of "Collections," possibly in the 1914 volume.

*Mr. Chairman, Veterans and Fellow Citizens:—*

Seldom, if ever before, have you been addressed on May 30th by one who was not personally familiar with the events which this anniversary recalls. Still, as you listened last year to the inspiring story of Salisbury's part in the Civil War, as told by a participant in that great conflict, and as the door to reminiscence in those matters is closed to me, I am sure you will permit me to revert to earlier periods of our history and review them briefly in their relation to military affairs. This we may properly do because Memorial Day, though primarily connected with the War between the States, is in a larger sense commemorative of the personal bravery, sacrifices and achievements of the men who defended this country in the old days against its enemies and finally established and maintained its independence.

Citizen-soldiering in New England in the days when Salisbury was settled was a serious and constantly recurring occupation. It did not consist in uniformity of dress and equipment, precise knowledge of tactics, stated terms of enlistment and remote possibilities of active service, but called rather for continual vigilance, self-reliance, resourcefulness and skill in what we now term guerilla warfare, in meeting issues that were chiefly local.

When we think, by way of contrast, of the way in which our own lives and possessions are protected against acts of personal violence, we must be filled with gratitude toward those pioneers who broke down the barriers of nature and the obstacles set up by men, and sturdily defended the homes they had won for themselves and for us.

The settlers of Salisbury instinctively kept a watchful eye on the Indians, but had no actual conflict with them. The natives, though numerous, had through long intercourse with the settlements on the Connecticut on one side and the Hudson on the other, become for the most part peaceable and friendly if not even servile.

You will recall that King Philip's War made an end to the racial power of Connecticut Indians, and that thereafter they ceased to be an active menace to the white settlers.

Probably the earliest historical event connected with this immediate locality occurred near the close of that war, when a considerable body of Indians were pursued from Westfield and overtaken on the banks of the Housatonic, near Sheffield line, by Maj. John Talcott and his Connecticut troops.\* How well these colonists had learned to fight the sons of the forest is shown by their success in ambushing them, and killing or capturing about fifty warriors. This was in the summer of 1676, forty-three years before the first white settler brought his household goods to the vale of Weatogue.

We learn nothing of controversies with the resident Indians until shortly after the incorporation of the town in 1741, of which more anon.

In our day we Americans are so sufficient unto ourselves that we need give little thought to European affairs as directly affecting our lives or actions, but one hundred and seventy-five years ago, the governmental difficulties of our ancestors were generally due to the decisions of Kings and Ministers in distant France and England. In this connection our own peculiar geographical location must be taken into account. This northwest corner of what is now Litchfield County comprised the waste lands of the Colony for nearly a hundred years after the River Settlements were well established. Along the Sound and up the rivers the parent towns speedily colonized the adjacent country, but knowledge of the northwestern lands was vague—mountains and lakes abounded, and it was not supposed that there was enough tillable area to support a settlement. But land speculation was a mania even then, as it afforded one of the few kinds of investments open to those who had amassed wealth in inland trade or commerce on the seas. The original grantees of Salisbury under the Colony were nearly all speculators, pure and simple, in that business at least. Their investment was made on the strength of the further reports of the Colony's surveyors, that these parts were not such

\* Trumbull's *Hist. of Conn.*, Vol. I, p. 292 (Edition of 1898). Church's *Hist. Address*, 1841, p. 68.

"a bad lot" after all. It would seem that fully one-half of these original purchasers or proprietors had not the remotest idea of personal removal to this wild region, a conjecture which is supported by the sale of their rights at a good advance to the real settlers who were hardy enough to leave the lowlands and attempt the hills.

This town then, in 1740, was a frontier settlement, and directly to the north of it, hugging the western boundary of Massachusetts, were other frontier towns, which together with the fringe of settlements on the Hudson River represented the advance of civilization, gradually pushing its way from the New England seaboard to the Great Lakes.

Directly to the west of us the Hudson and the Catskills presented a barrier to hostile invasion, but to the north lay the paths along Lakes George and Champlain to the French settlements in Canada, which were a constant menace to the peace of our forefathers, and when England was at war with France, which was the case almost continually from 1744 to 1763, there was no security on the frontiers. "What next may we expect from the French and their Indians?" must have been the question oftenest asked by Salisbury men in those troublous times. To go back a bit,—from the Peace of Utrecht in 1713 to the war of the Austrian Succession, beginning in 1740, England and France were nominally at peace, but incidental to England's espousal of Austria, King George's War occurred in the Colonies.

At this time then, 1744, almost coincident with the organization of the town, our military history really begins. With the opening of hostilities, the general alarm was greatly increased in this locality by persistent rumors that the Moravian Missionaries were inciting the Indians to insurrection all through the present Dutchess Valley. This was a far cry and a false one. The Moravians at Shekomeko near Pine Plains, and Gnadensee (Indian Pond), had already christianized many natives, and secured some following among the whites as well, and their activity was most annoying to the orthodox churches. In consequence of this, ulterior motives were unquestionably imputed to the Moravians and legislation was invoked to drive them from their undertakings. The charges which were brought against them appear groundless in the light of later investigation, but

they served to put the missionaries in bad odor, and at the same time to cause additional alarm to the settlers who were in an apprehensive state of mind. The following letters addressed to Gov. Law clearly show the popular impression then prevalent:—

*Joseph Minor to Jonathan Law.\**

Hon<sup>able</sup> Sr

Woodbury June 20th 1744

I have here Inclosed, what Just now I Recd from our Neighbours at Kent, Respecting their want of Ammunition, & where they Can have a supply I must Confess I am at a Loss: If your Hon<sup>r</sup>& the Council with you, will Direct this Messenger where to get a supply either from some of the stores at the seaside, or from the Gen<sup>l</sup> store it will be well As for the Moravians that were ordered out of this Govermt they are moved just over the line into New York Govermt and seem to Keep our Indians in a Continual Stirr, If New York Authority would take orders to Remove them out of their Govermt It is thought that the uper Towns would be Considerably Quieted,  
I am Your Hon<sup>rs</sup>

Humble Servt

Joseph Minor

*William Pitkin to Jonathan Law†*

Plese your Honour

Hartford June the: 19. 1744

by the order and at the Desire of the Committee of Warr in Hartford, I would acquaint your Honour, that I Came yesterday from the fronteer Towns in this Collony. I find them But to poorly provided for with arms and Powder though Some and Some Towns are Midleing well, they are Now in feer. and Jest in there Haying and Neer Harvest, and I dont See How they Can do Without Some Help at Present, Without Which indeed they will be utterly Discouraged, Sharron and Selsbury, are in Great feer of the Indions on the west in New york Goverment, where is they Say Gathered above a 100 of them, with the Moravions and they think they Have Lately Ben Suplyed With Powder &c in a private Manner so that they ware Jest on the Wings with advice—While I was at Litchfield, I sent to Waterbury and Woodbury for Twenty men to be Sent to each of the Towns viz Sharon and Salsbury, to abide there Till Some further Povition be made for them, . . . . Have allready Ordred fortifications in Divers of the New Towns and the Comittee are About

\* Conn. Hist. Soc. Collections, Vol. XI, p. 197.

† Conn. Hist. Soc. Collections, Vol. XI, p. 189-91.



to Send Twenty Men to each Town Lying exposed in this County, I  
Shall Not ad But that I am your Honours Obediant Humble

Ser<sup>tt</sup>

Wm Pitkin

It will be seen from this that Salisbury, just come into existence, was in no position to offer assistance to the common cause, but was rather in need of it herself. But settlers were coming in rapidly and a year and a half later she joined Canaan and Sharon in presenting the following noteworthy petition:

*Western Connecticut Petition to the Committee of War.\**

To the Hon<sup>ble</sup> Comm<sup>tee</sup> of war.

The Sence we have not only of the Disadvantage of frequent Alarms, but also of the Danger, we with the rest of the frontiers are continually in from the Enemy at Crown Point, who can Soon come down and that undiscovered, obliges us with Submission to Propose to your Honours an Expedition to Crown Point we find the People in these Towns spirited for it, believe Many men May be had as voluntiers from amongst us. The winter we perceive must be the time for Reducing Crown point, for this Reason viz: because of the Bog Meadow of about thirty Miles which we understand cant be passed with Cannon and Stores in the Summer time Captn Williams of Stockbridge with Mr John Lyddius are tomorrow Setting out to Boston upon the Business of an Expedition if Possible it can be accomplished, and without the Reduction of that place we cant flatter ourselves with hopes Either of Quiet or Safety. And if your Honours Think fit to take it into your wise Consideration, & order any Service to be done in order to promote the Same, we Stand Ready to use our Interest and Endeavours as far as Possible we can for the Safety and Peace of ourselves and the good of our Country; which we are always ready to advance by all that Lies in the Power of your Honours Dutiful Serv<sup>ts</sup>

David Whitney  
John Williams  
Thos Chipman  
John Sprague  
Samuel Beebe

Salsbury Dec<sup>r</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> 1745

To the existence of such patriotic sentiments as these in the minds of that little band of frontiersmen, and their transmission

\* Conn. Hist. Soc. Collections, Vol. XIII, p. 139-40.

to subsequent generations, we owe primarily the large measure of devotion displayed by our citizens in later conflicts, and latent in us to this day.

Under date Dec. 14, 1745, Wolcott writes to Gov. Law:—\*

I enclose a Letter to us Containing a Contrivance of some Gentlemen on the frontiers to make an Attempt upon Crown Point their fearfull Aprehensions of Danger from those quarters has Engaged them Earnestly in it and Indeed that fort like Pandoras box is full of all Mischeif to us and it is of the Greatest Importance to reduce it if possible but such an Enterprize must be the undertaking of severall Governmts in which the Govrs must Lead the Councill here have therefore Directed me to send it to your Honr who will proceed in it as in your Wisdom you think best.

The suggested expedition to Crown Point was not undertaken then because of lack of coöperation among the Colonies, but the suggestion was a good one, and was of necessity acted on ten years later.

With the capture of Louisburg the war in the Colonies was practically ended, although peace was not declared till 1748. The ensuing period of quiet was of short duration, however, as the "American edition" of the Seven Years War, which convulsed Europe, came out here in 1755. It was precipitated by the continued encroachments of the French in the Ohio Valley, and was known, on this side of the water, as the French and Indian War.

Our ancient chronicler, Crossman,† says that about 1740 there were only sixteen families settled in Salisbury—probably not above one hundred persons, but so rapidly did the population increase that it was estimated at eleven hundred in 1756. This meant that the town was well established and able to do its full part in the impending conflict. Connecticut military records for this period are incomplete, but from such as exist it appears that the willingness of our citizens to serve their country was unabated.

In the campaign of 1755 against Crown Point, Connecticut levied several regiments. In the second of these, Capt. Samuel

\* Conn. Hist. Soc. Collections, Vol. XIII, p. 149.

† New Year Sermon, 1803 (the first printed contribution to Salisbury History), by Rev. Joseph Warren Crossman, second settled pastor of Salisbury Congregational Church.

Bellows of Salisbury commanded the 8th Company; enlistment in it was not confined to this town, but a number of Salisbury names stand on its roll.

In the Company of Lieut.-Col. Whiting, in the same regiment, served Corporals Isaac Bird and Jonathan Chipman and privates Nathaniel Buell, Timothy Chittenden and Lot Norton. This trio of privates were of the same age, twenty-two years, and died within several years of each other, nearly sixty years later, after most honorable and useful careers. In this same Company were also Simeon Strong, John Hanmer, four Woodworths and three Tuttlés. In the second year of the war, 1756, four regiments were raised by the Assembly, in the first of which Rev. Jonathan Lee of Salisbury was Chaplain. The Company of Capt. Jeffry of Cornwall, in the 3rd regiment, contained some twenty Salisbury men.

In 1757, fully seventy-five Salisbury men marched to the relief of Fort William Henry on Lake George. They were distributed as follows,—a half dozen in Capt. Marsh's Litchfield Company, a dozen or so in Lieut.-Col. Whiting's Canaan Company, twenty-five who rode their own horses, in Capt. Moses Lyman's Goshen Company and thirty-five in the Company commanded by Capt. Stevens of Canaan, whose Lieutenants were Jonathan More and Joseph Lee of Salisbury. These figures indicate that nearly one-third of the adult male population of Salisbury was in active military service in 1757.

In 1758 the number was not as large but the quota was filled. Nathaniel Evarts was Captain of a Company in the 4th Regt., in which served Nathaniel Buell, now a Sergeant, and a number of Salisbury rank and file.

In 1759, Lieut. Isaac Peck, Nathaniel Buell, now an Ensign, Sergeant Andrew Barton, Corporal Samuel Skinner and a half dozen privates appear in the 3rd Regiment Company of Capt. Elmore of Sharon, and in the Company of Capt. Tarball Whitney of Canaan were enrolled Corporal John Nichols and another half dozen privates.

In 1760-'62, the town's quota served for the most part in Capt. Elmore's Company, above mentioned.

Unfortunately no one will ever know just how many of these men died in service or incurred disabilities for life. This because

the military records are defective, and no pension system existed. Contemporary town records occasionally supply a name and date as in the case of John Hutchinson who "died, a soldier, at ye Jarmon Flats in his return from Oswego, Oct. 19, 1760, in his 19th year." Another soldier, Weston Gifford, is recorded by Capt. Bellows, as dying in 1756, at his (Bellows') house in the north part of the town, on the return of the Crown Point Expedition.

Captains Bellows and Evarts, and Lieutenants Peck and Buell were the only commissioned officers from Salisbury in the Colony's volunteer service in the old French war, but the militia was not inactive, and Captains James Landon and Samuel Moore as Commanders of the two train-bands or militia companies of the town deserve a share of the credit for the town's good showing.

The capture of Fort William Henry by Montcalm in July, 1757, caused general alarm. What was left of the garrison at the Fort, after Montcalm's Indians had violated his pledge of safe-conduct, and had their way with the prisoners, took refuge fifteen miles away at Fort Edward on the upper reaches of the Hudson. But contrary to expectation Montcalm did not follow up his victory by attacking Fort Edward, and our townsmen, although evidently prepared to march, did not receive the order to do so.

The following original papers, in the possession of the writer, may be of interest in this connection, as showing the method employed in levying on the militia, and the sort of equipment that was considered sufficient in those days:—

[A] To Mr. Abial Camp Clerk of ye first Train Band in Salisbury Greeting. By Virtue of Authority to me Derived from ye Colonel of this Regiment—you are hereby Required to Impress or Detach ye following persons Viz:—Thomas Burchard, Joseph Fitch and Tunis Surdam, to be in Readiness at a minute's Warning to proceed to Lake George when by me called for, or any other officers whom ye Government shall appoint. You are to give each of them Liberty to Inlist within 24 hours from their Impressment & that they shall be Intitled to a Premium of 18 Shillings Lawfull Money, you are also to give each of them Liberty to provide for themselves half a pound of Powder, one pound of Lead Gun Blankett and other Necessary accoutrements & they shall be Intitled to a Reward according to ye late act of Government in that case made: but if they Refuse or are not able to provide for themselves, you are to

Impress ye same, so that each man be Compleat—fail not hereof & make Return to me as soon as may be.

Dated at Salisbury October 28<sup>th</sup>: 1756

Samuel More Capt<sup>n</sup> of s<sup>d</sup> Comp<sup>y</sup>

If either of ye above men are not to be had you are to Detach W:<sup>m</sup> Vallans J<sup>n</sup>: and Alexander Bryan.

(Endorsement) October ye 28<sup>th</sup> A.D. 1756 then by virtue ye within warrent was Impressed the body of ye within named Joseph Fitch and read ye same in his hearing—October ye 29<sup>th</sup> A.D. 1756 then by virtue of ye within warrent was Impressed of Hez. Camp Jnr one Gun one powder horn and half a pound of powder one bullet Pouch and one pound of bullets and half a dozen of flints—November ye 5<sup>th</sup> A.D. 1756 then by Virtue of ye within warrent was Impressed one blanket of Isaac Adams and one hatchet of Joshua Jewels. Ye above S<sup>d</sup> Service was done on ye above S<sup>d</sup> days according to Law Pr me Abiel Camp Clerk ye first training band in Salisbury.

[B] Abstract of a Regimental Order dated 25 October, 1756, under the hand of Joseph Minor, Colonel, addressed "To Captain Samuel Moore Captain of the first Military Company in the Town of Salsbury In ye 13<sup>th</sup> Regiment in the Colony of Connecticut."

This document is a printed form and directs Capt. Moore to enlist or detach three able-bodied and effective men from his company and to keep them in readiness to march when ordered.

The issuance of this order was pursuant to an act of the General Assembly sitting in New Haven on the second Thursday of Oct., 1756, "that there be forthwith raised and sent forward to our Army at Lake George eight Companies; each to consist of one Hundred able-bodied and efficient Men, inclusive of Officers."

These troops were to be properly accoutered and voluntary enlistment carried with it a premium or bounty of 18 shillings "to be paid before their Departure out of the Government."

[C] To Capt. Samuel Moore of Salisbury Greeting in his Majesties name—Pursuant to Fresh Orders received from Tho<sup>s</sup> Fitch Esq.<sup>re</sup> Cap.<sup>t</sup> Gen<sup>l</sup> etc., upon sight hereof you are required to detach one-half of your Company under your command (including those already raised) properly armed and furnished with Provisions for their march & send them with a Serjeant forthwith to the Relief of Fort Edward or the Parts adjacent: to be under the Command of Cap<sup>t</sup> John Marsh of Litchfield who will join them on ye Road or at Fort Edward—and attend such orders they shall receive from me or other their Superior Officers.

Eben Marsh Col.

Dated at Litchf<sup>ld</sup>

, Aug.<sup>st</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> 1757.

[D] To James Landon and Samuel More the Captains of the Respective Military Companies in Salisbury. Pursuant to Orders from the Capt<sup>t</sup> General of the Colony of Connecticutt, you are hereby in his Majesties name, each of you, Commanded to Order all y<sup>e</sup> men in your respective Companies & all others in the Limits of your Companies y<sup>t</sup> are able to bear Arms forthwith to muster & hold themselves in Compleat Readiness to march to the Relief of Fort Edward if the same should be attacked, at the shortest warning.

Dated at Litchfield this 13th day of Aug<sup>t</sup> A. D. 1757.

Eben Marsh Col.

In spite of the hardships which the war inflicted on Connecticut and her sister colonies, it was in one way, at least, advantageous to them. The provincial troops, acting in concert with the Regular British Army, soon became familiar with the best military practice of the time, in all its phases from elementary tactics and discipline to strategy and fortification. They were apt scholars and as they became accustomed to the movements of large bodies of troops and the use of artillery, confidence in their ability to wage war in the "regular" manner increased. To be sure some of the English commanders who considered coöperation with "embattled farmers" as beneath their dignity, attempted to belittle them and to slight their officers, but unjust and impolitic as this was, it could not prevent the Americans from obtaining invaluable training, which they put to excellent use twenty years after, against their former instructors.

From the close of the French War, on, the policy of the British Government, or rather that of George the Third who dominated the entire situation, constantly excited hostility in the Colonies. The minor matter of slighting the raw soldiery, soon followed by the major matters of "taxation without representation," haling Colonial offenders before English tribunals for trial, and other arbitrary measures, fomented revolution.

But just as the abolition agitation, over half a century ago, gave rise eventually to the more important question of the maintenance of the Union, so the pre-revolutionary protests against England's administrative acts led up to the consideration of national independence and were but the popular expression of convictions which the Colonists themselves very likely did not fully analyze.

As Professor Fisher clearly shows in his recent original and convincing history\* of the period, the irrepressible cause of the Revolution originated in the Reformation itself, which effected a gradual but complete change, not only in the religious but in the political attitude of the masses toward their rulers, throughout a considerable part of Europe. That great movement compelled recognition of the natural law, that is to say the inherent right of men to enjoy personal liberty, and fostered a democratic spirit directly at variance with the feudalistic idea that had so long prevailed there. So in a newer sense, as to time and place, it was this long cherished and insistent desire for self-development, necessitating, theoretically at least, a form of government resting on the consent of the governed, which led these Colonies conveniently adjacent to each other and increasing more rapidly in population than England was, to defy the power of a government too far away, and too inefficient to enforce its policies.

Incidentally, Fisher explodes the theory long held by historians in general, that England profited by her lesson here in ruling her other Colonial possessions. He shows that instead of enlarging their privileges, she restricted them, and although more diplomatic in her attitude to-day, she holds Canada, Australia, and certain other dependencies, for all their premier systems of government, under practically the same parliamentary restraint as obtained here before the Revolution. She has been enabled to do this because in none of these scattered possessions of hers has there ever been a population so strongly united, racially and intellectually, as defied her in America one hundred and forty years ago.

So we see the Revolution as the logical climax of a long period of social evolution,—the mental awakening of the Reformation, the resultant non-conformity in England a century or so later, the removal to America of a multitude of people who held advanced ideas about personal liberty, their gradual negation of monarchical privileges and restrictions, and finally the appeal to arms, from which Democracy, like a champion, emerged triumphant before an astonished world.

\* *The Struggle for American Independence*, by Sydney George Fisher, Vol. I, Chap. II.

Granting the logic of the causes and the fitness of the moment, even then the dénouement might have miscarried had the scene of its enactment been unfavorable. On the contrary and apparently as part of a predestined arrangement, the natural phenomena and vast extent of the colonies afforded a peculiarly advantageous setting for it.

The interior portions of all but three of the thirteen original states are mountainous and history and romance alike have always associated hatred of oppression and indomitable courage with hill-dwelling peoples. Their virility and self-reliance, engendered by the exigencies of rough living, and their intense patriotism are proverbial. So it was for instance with the Thracians, the Swiss, the Welsh and the Highland Scots, who for centuries frustrated their enemies, however numerous and powerful.

In accord with these immemorial attributes the men of Salisbury and the hill-towns all the way into northern Vermont were quick to resent any abuse of authority, and to support their convictions at any cost of life or fortune.

It is true that nearly all of the principal leaders of the Revolutionary movement lived in the seaports which first felt the effects of foreign interference, but when the time came for England to concentrate her wrath upon these commercial centers, their cry for help was heard in the backwoods and on the uplands, and was not ignored.

Ethan Allen was a typical hill-man, physically robust, choleric and aggressive, and constantly seeking new outlets for his energy. He was living here in the days immediately preceding the passage of the Stamp Act, and was constantly going and coming between this town and the New Hampshire Grants, which he and other Salisbury men were opening to settlement. Another such, though of a more academic cast, was Dr. Thomas Young of Amenia, and later of Boston, one of the foremost propagandists of the Sons of Liberty.

It seems like a sweeping statement, but it is one susceptible of proof, to say that the State of Vermont owes more for its establishment to Salisbury than to any other social unit in the world. In Vermont history there are written, as large as that of Wash-



ington in Virginia or Trumbull in Connecticut, the names of Genl. Ethan Allen, his older brother, Genl. Ira Allen, Gov. Thomas Chittenden and Chief Justice Nathaniel Chipman. These four all went out from this town, the first three just before the war, and Chipman later after seeing service as a Salisbury soldier. Of lesser men there were dozens who went up to the Grants, not singly with their families, but in parties of families. The draft of the original constitution of Vermont was penned in Lakeville,\* and the first meetings of several Vermont towns were held here, prior to their settlement, because so many of their proprietors were resident in this locality.

When we stop to think of the loss entailed upon our town by such waves of emigration as that which swept over Vermont, and others like it, a little later, over western New York and the Connecticut Reserve in Ohio, it is astonishing that our record is as brilliant as it is that our political status has been so well preserved.

But to return from this digression. The closing of the Port of Boston to commerce, in June, 1774, was in effect the spark that touched off the conflagration that had been so many years a-making.

The May Session of the Connecticut General Assembly drew up a moderate, and indeed loyal memorial, or rather protest against this and similar measures. It was generally approved, as an expression of public sentiment, but events were moving too rapidly for any such deprecatory and pacific attitude to be popular for long, especially here, where New York Tories had long been hated for their interference with the settlement of the Grants, and where the doings of the British in Boston were held to have a direct application to all New England.

On August 22, 1774, Salisbury spread upon her records, still to be seen in the room below us, her own Declaration of Rights. Who penned it will probably never be known, but although the phraseology is tinged with the florid rhetoric then in fashion, it was no mean quill-driver who wrote it, but some one who knew, as did the author of the Declaration of Independence itself,

\* History of Vermont, by Zadock Thompson, Second Part, p. 107.

the impressive effect of mouth-filling periods. The document is unique: I have seen nothing of the kind in neighboring towns, and it is of real value as showing the forwardness of the spirit here, which was thus manifested even before the assembling of the First Continental Congress. The record runs like this:—

Salisbury Aug. 22, 1774.

The Inhabitants of Said Town were convened according to law. Col. Joshua Porter Esq. of said Salisbury being chosen Moderator of said meeting, but having intelligence that his child was very sick, desired to be dismissed from said office.

Voted that Mr. John Everts is Moderator of this meeting.

After reading and deliberating upon the several Acts and Laws denouncing dangerous exertions of Parliamentary Power as well as a partial, absurd and self confuted spirit of Punitive malevolence particularly leveled against the Province of the Massachusetts Bay and being deeply impressed with the visible declension of Virtue and Rectitude of British Administration which threaten insupportable convulsions to the whole Empire and willing as far as in them lies to ward off the impending Ruin and revive the Expiring Liberties of their Country, adopted the following Resolves viz.

1st That as touching the Chartered Rights of this Colony and the memorable Act of Blocking up the Port and Harbour of Boston (in its meaning indefinite and contradictory, in its measures inadequate, in its operations arbitrary and cruel) our sense is well defined and with just spirit asserts in the Resolutions of the last honored House of Representatives—That the sentiments which breathe in every paragraph happily anticipate our own and therefore to enter them on the Records of this town is a publick Testimony of our approbation and justly due thereto.

2nd That in view of the late Act of Parliament regulating or rather destroying the Internal Government of the Province of Massachusetts Bay as an alarming prelude to the total Annihilation of the ancient and unrivaled Glories of the British Constitution as thereby a horrible dart is hurled at the breast of sacred Liberty a precedent established to sanctify the grossest outrages on the Rights of human kind, and a punishing with unparalleled Rigour not a private Individual but a large opulent and Loyal Province with the loss of its dearest Charter Priviledges without even the formalities of a trial,— That it is therefore the duty of every man who values our Commercial and Political Connexions with Great Britain as the least blessing to unite in all lawful means to effect their total abolition.

3rd That to this end the proposed general Congress of Sage and Virtuous Men from Each Colony will most contribute. In the meantime we cheerfully leave it to that august convention to say in what manner our mite shall be directed.

4th That our poor Brothers of Boston now suffering for us shall share with us the Blessings of our plentiful Harvest. That for the purpose subscriptions be taken in by Hezekiah Fitch Esq., Capt. Elisha Sheldon, Messrs. Luke Camp and Lot Norton and Capt. Samuel Lane.

5th. That as this Town (tho far removed from the principal seat of Action) forms a part of the Reputable Publick and ought to co operate therewith, Col. Joshua Porter and Hezekiah Fitch Esq. Capt. Abiel Camp, Dr. Lemuel Wheeler and Mr. Josiah Stoddard be a committee for the useful purpose of Correspondence with other Committees of this Nature.

6th. That a copy of these Resolves be forthwith transmitted to the Delegates of the General Congress appointed for this Colony.

10 Oct. 1774.

Voted that Capt. Timothy Chittenden be a committee man in addition to the committee chosen on the 22nd day of August last to receive in subscriptions for the poor of the Town of Boston.

Salisbury Dec. 5, 1774.

At a Legal Town Meeting held by adjournment. Whereas by a former meeting it was resolved to adjourn the same till the Rising of the General Continental Congress then sitting that the Inhabitants of this Town might have an opportunity to the Determination of that August Body and the Measures they should recommend to the People of this Continent and having received the Articles of Association agreed upon by them, We do Now Vote 1stly that we acquiesce in Accept of the Doings of the late Continental Congress and agreeable to the 11th article of Association Signed by Said Congress appoint Col. Joshua Porter, Mr. Luke Camp, Lieut. Nathaniel Buell, Mr. Lot Norton, Mr. William Beebe, Hezekiah Fitch Esq., and Capt. Elisha Sheldon a committee for the purposes mentioned in Said 11th Article.\*

Voted 2ndly that the Doings of said Congress be Recorded at Large on the Records of the Town.

Time does not admit of detailed individual mention of our Revolutionary soldiers: there are one hundred and forty-one of them credited to this town on the military records of the state and a further number, conservatively estimated at fifty, in all likelihood belonged here, but the incompleteness of the records prevents our claiming them, without further investigation.

During the Revolutionary period two hundred and thirty-four electors of Salisbury took the Oath of Fidelity to the state, and from among these loyal men, both those in occasional active service as well as those incapacitated by age or disability, there

\* The 11th Article related to non-importation of taxed articles.

were chosen annually, standing Committees of Correspondence, committees to procure clothing for soldiers, to provide for soldiers' families, to inspect provisions and so on, and late in the war, committees to hire, with generous bounties, soldiers for the town's quota.

In passing, we must mention a few of the more prominent men and events. Salisbury men's first active service was in connection with the Ticonderoga enterprise in April-May, 1775. A few days after Lexington, some members of the Connecticut Legislature conceived the idea of capturing Fort Ticonderoga,\* and using the armament there for the relief of Boston. Capt. Edward Mott, of New London County, was the leading spirit. Authorized by the Assembly and accompanied by half a dozen volunteers, he proceeded directly to Salisbury where the party was increased to sixteen. The expedition was financed by a number of gentlemen, who gave their personal notes to the State Treasurer to secure the necessary funds.† Among these was Col. Joshua Porter of Salisbury, at that time and all during the war (with the exception of one year) one of our representatives in the Legislature. He was also in service at Ticonderoga for twenty-two days, immediately after the capture of the fortress.

Here then is a peg on which to hang our recollections. Probably within a stone's throw of this building was collected the nucleus of the force with which Ethan Allen, both by word and deed, surprised Capt. De La Place, and from what we know of Ethan, I have a lurking suspicion that what he said to the British Commandant was couched in language considerably more familiar and picturesque than the generally attributed order to surrender in "the name of the Great Jehovah and the Continental Congress."

Three of the Salisbury volunteers in this expedition were Josiah Stoddard, Levi Allen (a brother of Ethan) and Samuel Blagden. The party proceeded to Bennington, picking up recruits along the line, and was finally augmented by the addition of one hundred Green Mountain Boys, with Allen at their head.

Benedict Arnold with a force raised under the authority of Massachusetts was present at the capture, but he acted inde-

\* Record of Service of Conn. Men in the War of the Revolution (State pub. 1889), p. 29.

† Records of the State of Conn., Vol. I, pp. 292-3.

pendently, as he refused to serve under Allen, and the credit of carrying out the idea conceived in Connecticut was given to Allen and his men.

Perhaps the most remarkable thing about the Salisbury contingent in the American forces was the number of commissioned officers it contained, serving either in Connecticut Regiments or with the Green Mountain Boys—remarkable because it shows that Salisbury, even then, could produce men of the best type, qualified to command and to share in the conduct of important affairs. This list of thirty-three names is certainly deserving of special notice:—

Col. Elisha Sheldon	Lieut. Timothy Holcomb
Lieut.-Col. Samuel Blagden	“ Adonijah Strong
“ “ Nathaniel Buell	“ Roger Moore
“ “ Joshua Porter	“ Nathaniel Chipman
Major Luther Stoddard	“ Heman Allen
Capt. Eleazer Claghorn	“ Richard Bignall
“ Josiah Stoddard	“ James Holmes
“ Gamaliel Painter	“ Daniel Brinsmaid
“ John Chipman	“ James Claghorn
“ Noah Lee	“ Jesse Sawyer
“ Nathaniel Everts, Jr.	“ James Skinner
“ Ebenezer Fletcher	Surgeon Darius Stoddard
“ Samuel Lane	“ Lemuel Wheeler
“ Joshua Stanton	Ensign Nathan Dauchy
“ David Beebe	“ Luke Camp
“ Timothy Chittenden	“ Samuel Waterous
“ Ruloff Dutcher (sometimes called of Canaan)	

The town's most distinguished Revolutionary soldier was Elisha Sheldon, who served during the greater part of the war as Colonel of the 2d Light (Continental) Dragoons. This was one of four crack cavalry regiments raised in 1777. Samuel Blagden of Salisbury was Lieutenant-Colonel and Josiah Stoddard one of the Captains in the same regiment. Several French volunteers of noble birth were also among the officers. Although the regiment was not recruited entirely in Connecticut, it contained several Salisbury privates.

Capt. Josiah Stoddard was one of four brothers, three of whom had varied and interesting careers. He died in service and shortly before his death, a duel which he fought over some military dispute gave occasion to the passage, by the Connecticut General Assembly, of an act to prevent such encounters.\* These four brothers were all born, I believe, on the Warner farm near Ore Hill, and the quaint epitaph of one of them, Dr. Darius, may be read to-day, in Town Hill Cemetery.

Speaking of Town Hill reminds me that we just missed being able to enter on our roll of patriots the name of Genl. Richard Montgomery, for whom our Masonic Lodge was named. His tragic death before Quebec was one of the saddest events of the early years of the war. I do not find that he was ever a resident of Salisbury, but the old house that long bore his name was immediately connected with the fortunes of his wife and her family, the Livingstons, who took refuge there in 1777.

Adonijah Strong, afterwards a Colonel in the militia and a Judge of the County Court, was First Lieutenant of Bigelow's Artillery, the first organization in that branch of the service raised in Connecticut. Capt. John Chipman of Salisbury, serving in the Green Mountain regiment, was Commandant at Fort George in 1780, where most of his men were killed or captured, among whom was regimental Quartermaster James Coon, also of Salisbury, who was killed. Capt. Gamaliel Painter of Salisbury commanded a company in the state's regiment of Artificers, which, as a part of the pioneer and construction corps, did great service on many fields. Capt. Noah Lee and a half dozen Salisbury men served in Washington's main army at Yorktown and the preceding battles of that final campaign.'

It is pleasant to be able to connect Salisbury's participation in the war with events which were not only successful from our standpoint, but which were accomplished only by distinguished gallantry. The capture of Ticonderoga we have noticed as an event eminently successful and affording the American forces arms and supplies, without which it would have been difficult to prosecute the struggle.

\* Records of the State of Conn., Vol. II, p. 271.

Another event illustrative of this daring spirit was the capture of Stony Point in July, 1779. General Wayne, "Mad Anthony," commanded the attack. The fort, with its garrison of some fifteen hundred men, occupied a rocky promontory jutting into the Hudson. The Americans approached with the utmost caution and secrecy, and at midnight, with muskets unloaded and bayonets fixed, charged up the precipitous slopes and before two in the morning occupied the fort. In the right of the two main divisions making the assault marched Capt. Eleazer Claghorn of Salisbury and his company of Connecticut Light Infantry. "The capture of Stony Point was regarded as one of the most brilliant as well as the most important achievements of the war." Two regiments, in which Salisbury had a representation of about forty men, figured in this event, and some of these same men had spent the previous winter at Valley Forge.

During the Revolution it should be borne in mind that the Continental Army composed one part of the American forces and the State Militias the other. They were all militia to start with, but the organization was not sufficiently cohesive to cope with the disciplined British regulars, and the Continental Army proper was organized as a means of meeting the English on an equal footing. The regiments which composed it were mustered into the United States service precisely as were our volunteer troops in the Civil War, and were designated by the respective State names and numbers, as 1st Conn. Continental Line, equivalent to 1st Conn. Volunteer Infantry.

The militia, on the other hand, was usually ordered out on short terms of enlistment, either to reinforce the Continentals, or, in many cases, to conduct operations themselves.

The 14th Regiment of militia, Chas. Burrall of Canaan, Colonel, and Joshua Porter of Salisbury, Lieutenant-Colonel, was composed entirely of men from five towns in northwestern Litchfield County. This regiment saw much active service, chiefly in this and New York state. Col. Porter was in command of a regiment at Peekskill, and engaged in the battles of Saratoga, but whether or not with the 14th does not appear.

No town in Connecticut, not actually the scene of conflict, was so much in the minds of our leaders, both civil and military, as was Salisbury. The crying need of the American forces was

not so much of men as of ordnance, and this we could supply. In December, 1776, the General Assembly in its proceedings\* said:—

Whereas the article of Cannon is of great importance and indispensably necessary in warlike preparations for offence and defence and much of ours has in the last campaign fallen into the hands of our enemies so as to render them scarce and this state is also applyed to by the Hon<sup>ble</sup> Continental Congress for a large number to be sent to the northern forts and for the ships, and they are also greatly needed for our more immediate defence, and there appears no way to obtain them but by our foundry at Salisbury, and there is danger that the furnace there will soon be blown out and stopped unless effectual measures are immediately taken to continue the blast and the manufacturing of Cannon as long as possible: Resolved by this Assembly, That Mr. Benjamin Henshaw be and is hereby appointed and directed to repair forthwith to Salisbury and apply to Colo. Joshua Porter, manager of said foundry, and afford him all the assistance in his power, etc.

Whereas it is of the greatest importance for the safety and defence of this and the United States of America, that the foundry of cannon should be continued at Salisbury, and in order thereto that some proper persons should be appointed to procure and furnish wood and coal and other materials for that purpose. Resolved, etc.

The old furnace at Lakeville was dear to the heart of Brother Jonathan and he and his advisers operated it to its full capacity for four or five years, keeping fifty men or more at work constantly, often under guard for fear lest it should be captured by the British on one of the numerous raids into Connecticut or up the Hudson. Great quantities of mortars, cannon (carrying shot up to eighteen pounds, which was nearly the maximum weight at that time), swivel guns for the Navy, shot, shell, hand grenades, camp kettles and other necessities were made and widely distributed.

The voices of those old cast-iron smooth-bores were raised from fortifications all along the coast, from Providence to Yorktown, from the decks of the infant navy, and from inland battle fields. Later, in the second war with England the Constellation and the Constitution—"Old Ironsides"—won their victories with Salisbury cannon.

The weary years of the great struggle for independence at length drew to a close. From careful estimates it would seem

\* Records of the State of Conn., Vol. I, p. 130.



that of our adult male population of about three hundred and fifty, nearly one-half had seen active service in the field and most of the other half active service at home in whatever capacity they were fitted for.

One hundred and twenty-eight years ago this month, May 6, 1783, the citizens in Town Meeting assembled, Voted "that thirty pounds of powder now in the town stock be appropriated to the purpose of congratulating the Continental soldiers belonging to this town on their Discharge and Return," and that "Col. Nathaniel Buell be appointed and desired to address" them "and to present them with the thanks of this Town for their generous and spirited exertions in the cause of their country."

After the close of the war, there followed a period of adjustment to new conditions, recuperation of resources, and growth in population which was interfered with only by the difficulties which led to the war of 1812, a conflict which was decidedly unpopular in New England.

England in her struggle with Napoleon made a partially successful attempt to close all European ports to neutral trade, and in effect this was a direct blow at American commerce, although aimed at the French. Coupled with this, the indiscriminate impressment of American seamen into the British service on the ground that they were deserters from British vessels (in some cases the fact) resulted in the retaliatory Embargo Bill of 1807, prohibiting foreign commerce, and the Enforcement Act of 1809, authorizing collectors of customs to hold American goods going toward the sea, till they had been placed under bond that they would not be taken out of the United States. These measures aroused the most violent opposition in the New England states, whose people believed that their extensive commercial interests were being needlessly sacrificed. New England refused to let her militia assist in the enforcement of these laws, or be used for defence outside of the respective states.

Befooled by Napoleon\* and continually harassed by England, it at length became necessary, as Dr. Woodrow Wilson says, for

\* For an account of Napoleon's duplicity in connection with the proposed session of Florida, his blockade of English ports and seizure of American vessels, see Woodrow Wilson's *History of the American People*, Vol. III, pp. 187-210.

the United States to "do something if only to keep itself in countenance." The country was divided in sentiment and in every way unprepared for war, but nevertheless war was declared on the 18th of June, 1812. Singularly enough England repealed her non-intercourse acts on the 17th of June, just too late to prevent the opening of hostilities. This was a fitting beginning to a war arising from a tangle of diplomatic relations, just as its ending was marked by the occurrence of the battle of New Orleans, after peace was declared. When war actually came New England, of course, supported the government and bore her part, but it was largely one in defence of her own coast line, and she naturally did not participate to any extent in the actions on the northern frontier of New York and the lakes. With the building and manning of the American Navy, which dates as a sea power from that period, she was identified.

For the reasons mentioned there were few Salisbury men at the front in the War of 1812. Their training and situation precluded naval service, the militia was kept at home, and the volunteer force was chiefly recruited from the regions nearest to the northern and western frontiers. The records of a few Salisbury men have been preserved, however, and probably the list could be enlarged if the state records did not append to the names of its soldiers places of enlistment and service rather than of residence. Judge Church says that "several non-com. officers and privates enlisted from this town, but few of whom ever returned." One of them, John O'Cain, while lying mortally wounded on the field of Bridgewater, is said to have discharged his musket twice at the enemy. Ebenezer Bissell, James Graves, James Lane, John Lemley, Nicholas Rugg, Samuel Stephens, Heman White and Philo White served in the Regular Army.

Our present militia organization or National Guard is a small but highly effective force, totalling I believe not over five thousand men, but a hundred years ago it was an immense establishment, for the most part loosely organized and indifferently equipped and drilled. It consisted of no less than thirty-five regiments of infantry and eight of cavalry, divided into eight brigades and four divisions. In it were some forty thousand men, representing theoretically the available fighting force of the state. This town had four companies within it, and it is no

wonder that with rotation in office year after year, there was hardly a man of standing in the community who was not entitled to some military prefix: in fact titles were so common that they were frequently lost sight of. I was surprised some years ago to find that the late A. H. Holley attained the rank of Colonel about 1830, as I had never heard it mentioned either in his family or out of it.

From about 1835 to the opening of the Civil War, the militia gradually declined in efficiency and popularity and was certainly ready for the reorganization that it eventually received.

During the War of 1812 about twelve thousand men of this force were called into service within the state, chiefly for short periods during alarms along the Sound.

Elisha Sterling of Salisbury commanded the local regiment, the 14th, during most of the war, and served in that capacity for two months at New London in 1813. In the closing years of the struggle he was promoted successively to the command of the 6th Brigade, and the 4th Division, the latter carrying with it the rank of Major General. In this 14th Regiment Dr. Ovid Plumb was surgeon, Wm. C. Sterling paymaster and Newman Holley adjutant. The captains of the four Salisbury companies in 1813 were David Landon, Eliphalet Whittlesey, James Sheldon and John Ensign, Jr.

Lieut. Edward O. Holley served in the State Corps, as it was called, and the following letter typifies the extent and nature of the militiamen's service.

Union Camp near New London, Sept. 29, 1813.

Dear Brother:

You will very much oblige Lieutenant Holley by writing him the news in Salisbury, or any circumstances that you may think proper for you must be very sensible that a letter from you would be very acceptable, particularly when in a strange place and surrounded by strangers, for as an old man said when in the Green woods it is a desert place. The troops are this day waiting to move into houses, which will make it very comfortable, for the weather is getting cold and stormy. I have had the honor of being introduced to Commodore Decatur—in company with Major Ellsworth we went on board the three ships where we received every attention: after viewing as long as we wished we were set on shore in a Twelve Oared Barge for the Naval Officers think very highly of the Officers of the State Corps. The United States, Macedonian and

Sloop of War Hornet compose our fleet and they are expected down as far as New London this week—they have started but got aground. If they get down here our Frollick will be over soon for the Valiant 74 Capt. Oliver and the Frigate Acasta with a sloop of war lie so near watching that we can see their men on board. If they should attack our ships we should have nothing to do unless they should attempt to land which they won't do, but it is generally believed that Decatur intends to run out this storm if the wind is fair and sufficiently strong. If this should be the case, we shall be discharged soon. I have passed my time pleasantly since my arrival in camp for my health has been good and seven officers of us mess together as it is called in camp and all of the 1st Regiment.

New London is a very dirty place and the inhabitants generally jockeys—most of them study to take the advantage of men who are stationed here to defend their lives and properties. I shall probably want you, when my time is out, to come down with my wagon after me, as you will want to come to Hartford about that time, but I will write you again before the time. My love to Sally.

Your affectionate brother

E. O. Holley.

N. Holley.

One son of Salisbury, although serving from New York, won great distinction and a medal from Congress for gallantry in action. This was Major General Peter B. Porter, and the particular exploits in which he was conspicuous, the repulse of the British sortie from Fort Erie, and the last charge that won Lundy's Lane, were illustrative of the same spirit that actuated Salisbury men of the preceding generation at old Ticonderoga and Stony Point. In 1815, President Madison offered him the post of Commander-in-chief of the Army, which he declined. He was Secretary of War during a part of the administration of J. Q. Adams, and was the most distinguished soldier that this town has produced.

The Mexican War, short in its duration and in its progress and conclusion intimately affecting only a part of the country rather than the whole of it, witnessed a brilliant series of American victories. The contest was really one of great political significance, but to New Englanders it was little more than an episode. Connecticut had a representation of seven or eight hundred men in the Regular Army, but the only Salisbury men for whom I find any active service record were Lieut. Albert E.

Church of the Regular Artillery and Albert Johnston, a private in Co. K, 5th U. S. Infantry. Lieut. Church was a son of Chief Justice Samuel Church, graduated from West Point and long occupied the chair of mathematics in that institution.

As a speaker of thirty-five years ago naïvely remarked, after claiming almost everything for Salisbury, through thirty pages of manuscript,—“The war of the Rebellion was not an institution of Salisbury origin.” It was an “institution,” however, that received our unanimous support. Again as in the old French War and the Revolution, although actuated by different motives, there went forth fully one-half of our eligible men,—three hundred and twenty-five of them; this time to fight at Petersburg and Winchester, Fredericksburg and Gettysburg, Drury’s Bluff, Port Hudson and a score of other fields. Again as at Louisburg and Ticonderoga, Stony Point and Fort Erie, Salisbury courage was tested to the full and proved worthy, as at Cold Harbor, where the Litchfield County regiment, the 2nd Heavies, left three hundred and twenty-three men upon the field, after they had done all that mortals could do to capture Longstreet’s impregnable intrenchments.

But the details of that great struggle I purposely omit, because you already have in enduring form an invaluable account of Salisbury’s part in it, by a participant.\*

Of the last war, the Spanish-American, there is but little to be said. Although far-reaching in its effects and of great value to this country, in emphasizing our present national unity, it must take rank, historically, rather as a military episode than a great conflict. It was too short and, except at one or two apparently critical moments, too tame, to arouse much patriotic ardor, or to necessitate general enlistment. The local Camp of Sons of Veterans offered its services as provisional militia, and was neither surprised, nor greatly pained, to find that it was not needed. Aside from this, as far as can be learned, our record is a blank, in this connection.

Conditions have so completely changed in the last two hundred years that we can hardly realize that what was once considered

\*“Salisbury in War Time,” Memorial Day Address by Thomas L. Norton, 1910.

the chief glory of a nation, the ability to subjugate and despoil its neighbors, upon slight pretext or none, is now frowned upon by all Christendom. Arbitration and intervention have gone a long way to prevent war, and may in the course of time eliminate it, but it seems inevitable that conditions shall occasionally arise which will demand an appeal to arms.

To those who insist upon peace at any cost, it may be said that we are here because of wars and not in spite of them—that wars, though in many instances seemingly preventable, have almost invariably eventuated in greater good to the greater number of the people. This is certainly true of all wars that have been fought for high principles, if so much cannot be said of all that have been waged for conquest only. But however we argue it, may we never let our natural abhorrence of so violent and terrible a scourge, blind us to the worth of men of other days, who faced conditions of which we, accustomed only to the bloodless conflicts of the ballot-box, have no conception.

For you, our surviving defenders of the Union, we feel the deepest gratitude for all the hardship that you underwent, and hold you in high esteem, as well, because you had the moral courage to uphold the natural rights of man, and the sense to know that national power and economic progress depend on national harmony and enlightened coöperation.

“And now in conclusion”—trite yet ever welcome phrase—I dare to voice the hope that in time to come, many of our citizens who thoughtlessly desecrate this day, will meet with us, and come to recognize its true significance.

Here, seated at our ease, warmed and invigorated by the fragrant breath of Spring, let us turn our thoughts, reflectively and reverently, toward yonder slope, where stand the mute reminders of so many of the pioneers and soldiers who made Salisbury what it is, and whose mortal bodies have these many years mouldered into native dust. Recall them, not as personages remotely dim and different from ourselves, but rather as our predecessors by a little space of time, who, all their days, were filled as we are now, with joys and sorrows, hopes and fears. They made their mark and passed: we make our mark and pass. Look to it that the future generations know us, too, as men who strove to give our best of heart and hand and brain to Salisbury.

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